



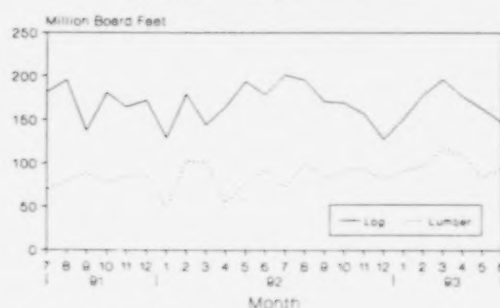
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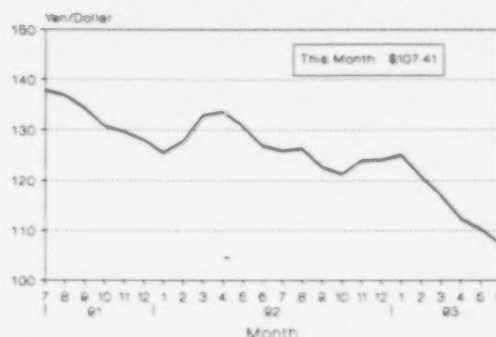
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Exports to Japan Softwood Logs & Lumber



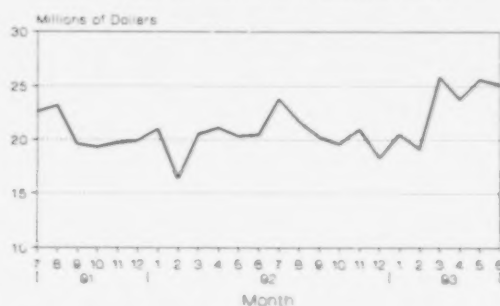
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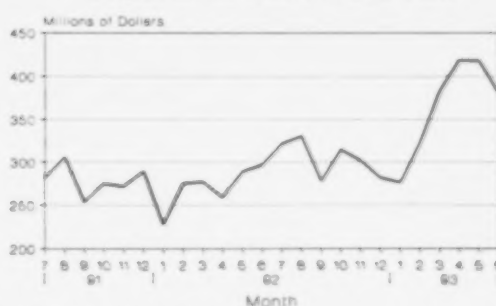
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Value of Hardwood Lumber Exports to the Pacific Rim



Source: U.S. Dept. of Commerce, FAS

Value of All Wood Products Exports to the Pacific Rim



Source: U.S. Dept. of Commerce, FAS

Total U.S. Exports to the Pacific Rim (\$000)

Country Markets	% Change		YTD	% Change		YTD	Product Groups	% Change		YTD	% Change		YTD
	June	Month		Month	Month	Month		June	Month	Month	Month	Month	Month
Japan	291,716	(4.8)	1,740,656	37.3			Softwood Logs	205,423	(16.6)	1,235,774	51.1		
China	5,671	(76.5)	74,528	44.5			Softwood Lumber	77,640	17.4	402,597	49.3		
Korea	47,037	1.6	209,532	30.9			Hardwood Logs	6,236	(52.2)	57,415	17.5		
Taiwan	15,679	(30.9)	93,566	4.5			Hardwood Lumber	25,132	(1.8)	139,929	16.9		
Australia	16,044	23.5	56,491	60.1			Hardwood Veneer	3,491	(7.5)	21,110	12.8		
Hong Kong	3,528	13.2	15,975	19.3			Particleboard	2,744	28.6	12,033	(26.3)		
Singapore	844	(61.6)	8,116	14.6			Other	59,854	(1.8)	330,009	(1.2)		
TOTAL	\$380,519	(8.9)	\$2,198,864	35.3			TOTAL	\$380,519	(8.9)	\$2,198,864	35.3		

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U.S. Exports To:

		VOLUME				VALUE-\$000			
		June	% Change Month	YTD	% Change YTD	June	% Change Month	YTD	% Change YTD
J A P A M	Softwood Logs - MBF	147,416	(9.7)	1,013,873	2.1	169,685	(7.8)	1,021,450	53.6
	Softwood Lumber - MBF	94,710	12.2	594,844	24.0	58,066	11.3	334,814	44.6
	Hardwood Logs - MBF	1,273	(76.4)	19,846	5.7	2,317	(74.7)	36,855	25.5
	Hardwood Lumber - MBF	10,439	(0.2)	58,559	2.9	12,651	(5.2)	74,889	11.6
	Hardwood Veneer (MSF 1/8)	12,489	*	65,055	18.9	1,456	61.6	7,718	7.4
	Particleboard (MSF 3/4)	730	(2.0)	3,279	(50.0)	442	56.2	1,332	(9.0)
Other						47,099	1.3	263,595	(1.2)
Subtotal						291,716	(4.8)	1,740,656	37.3
K O R E A	Softwood Logs - MBF	38,655	8.0	172,165	(21.3)	29,604	(6.2)	128,303	36.7
	Softwood Lumber - MBF	6,045	*	18,357	71.4	3,413	*	10,891	*
	Hardwood Logs - MBF	2,192	*	8,436	35.6	1,725	(8.9)	10,723	18.3
	Hardwood Lumber - MBF	2,383	20.9	11,312	5.3	2,772	19.9	14,228	26.4
	Hardwood Veneer (MSF 1/8)	4,082	(36.7)	32,320	(3.9)	649	(28.8)	4,838	(3.9)
	Particleboard (MSF 3/4)	3,994	32.2	19,082	(42.1)	1,476	54.4	5,819	(19.3)
Other						7,398	(8.5)	34,732	22.8
Subtotal						47,037	1.6	209,532	30.9
C H I N A	Softwood Logs - MBF	7,170	(74.0)	88,415	(9.5)	4,840	(79.2)	71,090	47.2
	Softwood Lumber - MBF	303	*	561	(86.0)	115	*	245	(85.0)
	Hardwood Logs - MBF	78	(87.7)	966	*	151	(64.0)	1,035	*
	Hardwood Lumber - MBF	147	(39.8)	745	(13.7)	159	(45.7)	774	44.1
	Hardwood Veneer (MSF 1/8)	666	*	1,335	*	74	*	126	*
	Particleboard (MSF 3/4)	0	*	13	*	0	*	7	*
Other						332	*	1,252	46.4
Subtotal						5,671	(76.5)	74,528	44.5
T A I W A N	Softwood Logs - MBF	1,759	(79.3)	18,466	(4.1)	1,294	(82.4)	14,847	56.8
	Softwood Lumber - MBF	2,100	4.6	10,820	0.8	1,161	(31.1)	6,328	61.6
	Hardwood Logs - MBF	2,023	*	5,528	1.5	1,955	36.8	8,241	5.7
	Hardwood Lumber - MBF	7,675	(5.4)	41,563	(0.6)	7,117	(2.5)	39,014	18.3
	Hardwood Veneer (MSF 1/8)	6,748	(41.2)	50,445	51.8	784	(39.6)	5,843	47.0
	Particleboard (MSF 3/4)	2,646	(34.4)	22,279	(31.1)	688	(12.7)	4,079	(28.1)
Other						2,680	(4.5)	15,216	(40.8)
Subtotal						15,679	(30.9)	93,566	4.5
A U S T R A L I A	Softwood Logs - MBF	0	*	22	(92.6)	0	*	32	(63.2)
	Softwood Lumber - MBF	21,429	50.8	70,190	42.1	14,648	27.4	49,154	83.4
	Hardwood Logs - MBF	61	(39.9)	205	(45.9)	55	34.1	155	(76.9)
	Hardwood Lumber - MBF	140	(52.5)	1,112	(13.0)	230	(45.5)	1,623	(11.0)
	Hardwood Veneer (MSF 1/8)	1,113	*	3,157	(64.4)	229	*	488	(59.7)
	Particleboard (MSF 3/4)	0	*	76	(81.8)	0	*	39	(81.3)
Other						882	(14.5)	5,001	11.5
Subtotal						16,044	23.5	56,491	60.1

Japanese Market Data

Imports -Thousand Cubic Meters		June	May	% Change Month	YTD	% Change YTD	U.S. Import Market Share YTD (%)
Softwood Logs		1,384	1,286	7.6	7,876	6.1	52.7
Softwood Lumber		788	759	3.9	4,630	23.3	24.6
Hardwood Logs		767	810	(5.3)	4,579	(20.2)	1.8
Hardwood Lumber		138	146	(5.6)	814	10.9	16.8
Housing Starts-000		June	May	% Change Month	YTD	% Change YTD	Wooden Structures YTD %
Housing Starts-000		133.7	114.6	16.6	683.2	3.7	46.8

Source: Japan Wood Products Information & Research Center



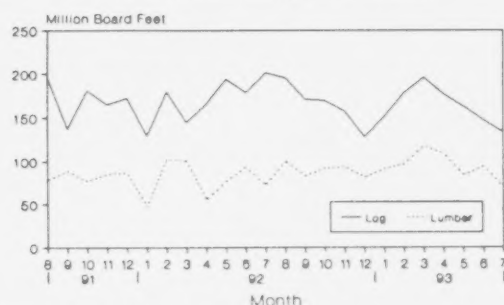
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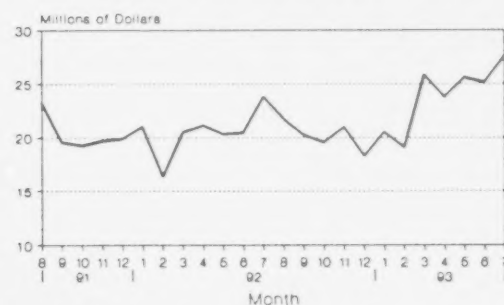
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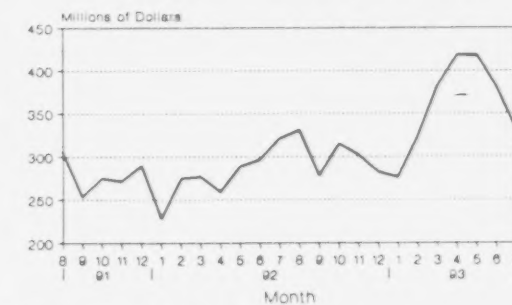
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Value of Hardwood Lumber Exports to the Pacific Rim



Value of All Wood Products Exports to the Pacific Rim



Total U.S. Exports to the Pacific Rim (\$000)

Country Markets	July	% Change Month	YTD	% Change YTD	Product Groups	July	% Change Month	YTD	% Change YTD
Japan	249,348	(14.5)	1,990,004	30.3	Softwood Logs	173,782	(15.4)	1,409,556	40.7
China	4,037	(28.8)	78,565	24.7	Softwood Lumber	60,113	(22.6)	462,710	47.8
Korea	42,186	(10.3)	251,719	33.7	Hardwood Logs	3,460	(44.5)	60,874	16.2
Taiwan	16,253	3.7	109,819	7.8	Hardwood Lumber	27,568	9.7	167,497	16.7
Australia	15,112	(5.8)	71,603	69.9	Hardwood Veneer	3,711	6.3	24,821	15.4
Hong Kong	3,246	(8.0)	19,220	18.1	Particleboard	1,584	(42.3)	13,617	(26.8)
Singapore	926	9.7	9,042	16.3	Other	60,890	1.7	390,899	(1.2)
TOTAL	\$331,109	(13.0)	\$2,529,972	30.0	TOTAL	\$331,109	(13.0)	\$2,529,972	30.0

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U.S. Exports To:

		VOLUME				VALUE-\$000			
		July	% Change Month	YTD	% Change YTD	July	% Change Month	YTD	% Change YTD
J	Softwood Logs - MBF	133,624	(9.4)	1,147,497	(4.0)	140,746	(17.1)	1,162,196	41.9
A	Softwood Lumber - MBF	69,881	(26.2)	664,726	20.4	44,340	(23.6)	379,154	41.5
P	Hardwood Logs - MBF	951	(25.3)	20,798	3.0	1,250	(46.1)	38,105	22.4
A	Hardwood Lumber - MBF	11,662	11.7	70,221	3.6	14,675	16.0	89,564	11.3
A	Hardwood Veneer (MSF 1/8)	10,316	(17.4)	75,372	15.6	946	(35.0)	8,664	1.7
N	Particleboard (MSF 3/4)	441	(39.6)	3,720	(48.0)	142	(67.9)	1,474	(10.8)
	Other					47,249	0.3	310,844	(2.3)
	Subtotal					249,348	(14.5)	1,990,004	30.3
K	Softwood Logs - MBF	32,870	(15.0)	205,036	(19.4)	26,796	(9.5)	155,098	41.2
O	Softwood Lumber - MBF	1,112	(81.6)	19,469	49.3	600	(82.4)	11,491	84.2
R	Hardwood Logs - MBF	923	(57.9)	9,359	31.1	1,206	(30.1)	11,929	18.7
E	Hardwood Lumber - MBF	1,991	(16.4)	13,303	7.4	2,672	(3.6)	16,900	28.5
A	Hardwood Veneer (MSF 1/8)	10,068	*	42,388	11.5	1,449	*	6,287	11.0
	Particleboard (MSF 3/4)	2,704	(32.3)	21,786	(44.0)	816	(44.7)	6,635	(21.1)
	Other					8,647	16.9	43,379	24.1
	Subtotal					42,186	(10.3)	251,719	33.7
C	Softwood Logs - MBF	4,416	(38.4)	92,831	(21.2)	3,000	(38.0)	74,090	24.7
H	Softwood Lumber - MBF	0	*	561	(86.0)	0	*	245	(85.0)
I	Hardwood Logs - MBF	101	29.3	1,067	73.4	172	13.9	1,207	*
N	Hardwood Lumber - MBF	309	*	1,054	14.3	376	*	1,150	*
A	Hardwood Veneer (MSF 1/8)	62	(90.7)	1,397	*	7	(90.5)	133	79.7
	Particleboard (MSF 3/4)	17	*	30	(58.3)	9	*	16	33.3
	Other					473	42.5	1,725	86.5
	Subtotal					4,037	(28.8)	78,565	24.7
T	Softwood Logs - MBF	3,697	*	22,163	(1.0)	3,241	*	18,088	56.4
A	Softwood Lumber - MBF	1,365	(35.0)	12,185	(0.5)	869	(25.2)	7,196	58.5
I	Hardwood Logs - MBF	404	(80.0)	5,932	(56.6)	774	(60.4)	9,016	9.0
W	Hardwood Lumber - MBF	8,329	8.5	49,892	12.7	7,389	3.8	46,403	16.6
A	Hardwood Veneer (MSF 1/8)	8,956	32.7	59,400	63.2	1,007	28.4	6,849	55.1
N	Particleboard (MSF 3/4)	2,023	(23.6)	24,302	(47.3)	467	(32.1)	4,546	(26.1)
	Other					2,506	(6.5)	17,722	(34.6)
	Subtotal					16,253	3.7	109,819	7.8
A	Softwood Logs - MBF	0	*	22	(96.2)	0	*	32	(85.5)
S	Softwood Lumber - MBF	18,016	(15.9)	88,206	48.5	14,084	(3.9)	63,239	96.4
T	Hardwood Logs - MBF	0	*	205	(45.9)	0	*	155	(76.9)
R	Hardwood Lumber - MBF	198	41.4	1,311	(16.0)	333	44.8	1,956	(13.9)
A	Hardwood Veneer (MSF 1/8)	0	*	3,157	(67.2)	0	*	488	(62.3)
L	Particleboard (MSF 3/4)	0	*	76	(81.8)	0	*	39	(81.3)
I	Other					695	(21.2)	5,696	7.8
A	Subtotal					15,112	(5.8)	71,603	69.9

Japanese Market Data

Imports -Thousand Cubic Meters	U.S. Import Market Share				Wooden Structures	
	July	June	% Change Month	YTD	% Change YTD	YTD %
Softwood Logs	NA	1,384	NA	NA	NA	NA
Softwood Lumber	NA	788	NA	NA	NA	NA
Hardwood Logs	NA	767	NA	NA	NA	NA
Hardwood Lumber	NA	138	NA	NA	NA	NA
	July	June	% Change Month	YTD	% Change YTD	YTD %
Housing Starts-000	137.3	133.7	2.7	820.6	3.8	47.1

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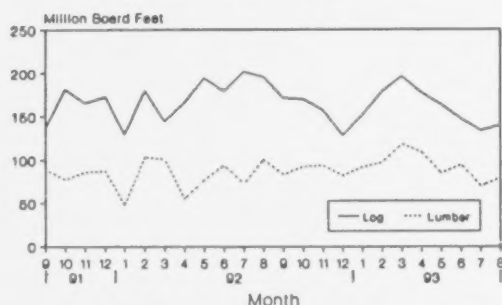
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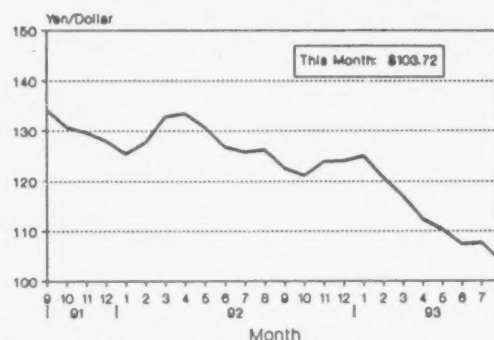
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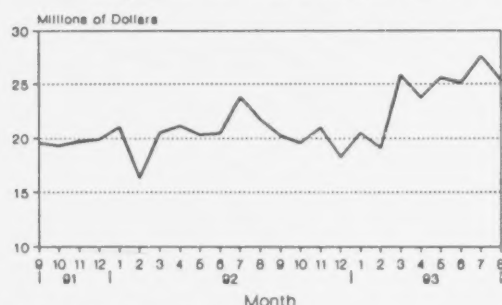
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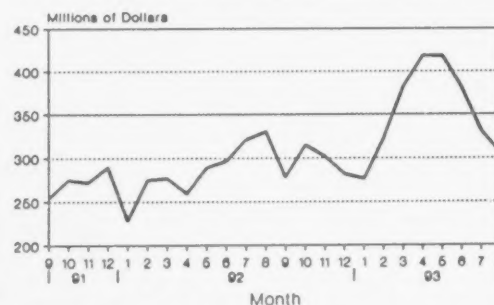
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Value of Hardwood Lumber Exports to the Pacific Rim



Source: U.S. Dept. of Commerce; FAS

Value of All Wood Products Exports to the Pacific Rim



Source: U.S. Dept. of Commerce; FAS

Total U.S. Exports to the Pacific Rim (\$000)

Country Markets	% Change			YTD	% Change			YTD
	Aug.	Month			Aug.	Month		
Japan	232,155	(6.9)		2,222,158	23.7			
China	9,605	*		88,170	20.4			
Korea	32,347	(23.3)		284,065	36.8			
Taiwan	15,921	(2.0)		125,740	7.0			
Australia	10,677	(29.3)		82,280	55.9			
Hong Kong	3,521	8.5		22,741	9.4			
Singapore	945	2.1		9,987	16.3			
TOTAL	\$305,169	(7.8)		\$2,835,141	24.5			

Product Groups	% Change			YTD	% Change			YTD
	Aug.	Month			Aug.	Month		
Softwood Logs	159,159	(8.4)		1,568,714	32.0			
Softwood Lumber	58,730	(2.3)		521,439	38.7			
Hardwood Logs	3,900	12.7		64,774	20.1			
Hardwood Lumber	25,333	(8.1)		192,831	16.7			
Hardwood Veneer	3,179	(14.3)		28,000	12.0			
Particleboard	2,569	62.2		16,186	(24.0)			
Other	52,303	(14.1)		443,202	(0.9)			
TOTAL	\$305,169	(7.8)		\$2,835,141	24.5			

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		Aug.	% Change Month	YTD	% Change YTD	Aug.	% Change Month	YTD	% Change YTD
J	Softwood Logs - MBF	139,454	4.4	1,286,951	(7.4)	131,363	(6.7)	1,293,559	31.8
A	Softwood Lumber - MBF	79,243	13.4	743,969	14.0	44,755	0.9	423,910	33.1
P	Hardwood Logs - MBF	1,583	66.4	22,381	10.1	2,271	81.7	40,375	28.9
A	Hardwood Lumber - MBF	10,450	(10.4)	80,671	4.8	14,176	(3.4)	103,739	13.1
N	Hardwood Veneer (MSF 1/8)	9,877	(4.3)	85,249	14.7	1,121	18.5	9,785	(2.6)
	Particleboard (MSF 3/4)	642	45.5	4,362	(46.4)	138	(2.8)	1,612	(14.8)
	Other					38,331	(18.9)	349,175	(3.4)
	Subtotal					232,155	(6.9)	2,222,158	23.7
K	Softwood Logs - MBF	23,317	(29.1)	228,353	(16.0)	16,696	(37.7)	171,794	44.5
O	Softwood Lumber - MBF	3,069	*	22,539	40.8	3,039	*	14,530	67.5
R	Hardwood Logs - MBF	489	(47.0)	9,848	16.9	886	(26.5)	12,815	16.9
E	Hardwood Lumber - MBF	2,275	14.2	15,578	10.6	2,744	2.7	19,644	29.1
A	Hardwood Veneer (MSF 1/8)	9,972	(0.9)	52,360	16.7	1,239	(14.5)	7,525	13.7
	Particleboard (MSF 3/4)	2,810	3.9	24,596	(43.5)	1,044	27.9	7,679	(21.1)
	Other					6,699	(22.5)	50,078	33.3
	Subtotal					32,347	(23.3)	284,065	36.8
C	Softwood Logs - MBF	10,312	*	103,144	(22.5)	7,634	154.5	81,724	17.9
H	Softwood Lumber - MBF	0	*	561	(86.0)	0	*	245	(85.0)
I	Hardwood Logs - MBF	27	(73.0)	1,095	77.9	38	(77.9)	1,245	*
N	Hardwood Lumber - MBF	56	(81.8)	1,110	2.3	41	(89.1)	1,191	62.7
A	Hardwood Veneer (MSF 1/8)	0	*	1,397	*	0	*	133	79.7
	Particleboard (MSF 3/4)	0	*	30	(70.1)	0	*	16	(40.7)
	Other					1,892	*	3,617	*
	Subtotal					9,605	*	88,170	20.4
T	Softwood Logs - MBF	4,922	33.1	27,085	1.0	3,452	6.5	21,540	42.9
A	Softwood Lumber - MBF	3,095	*	15,280	10.4	1,320	51.9	8,517	60.2
I	Hardwood Logs - MBF	392	(3.1)	6,324	8.7	704	(9.0)	9,720	14.3
W	Hardwood Lumber - MBF	6,725	(19.3)	56,616	(0.9)	6,326	(14.4)	52,729	13.2
A	Hardwood Veneer (MSF 1/8)	3,667	(59.1)	63,067	56.9	426	(57.7)	7,276	48.6
N	Particleboard (MSF 3/4)	3,049	50.7	27,351	(31.0)	1,021	*	5,567	(17.4)
	Other					2,672	6.6	20,394	(33.0)
	Subtotal					15,921	(2.0)	125,740	7.0
A	Softwood Logs - MBF	28	*	49	(91.3)	13	*	45	(79.5)
S	Softwood Lumber - MBF	12,366	(31.4)	100,572	31.5	9,374	(33.4)	72,613	76.9
T	Hardwood Logs - MBF	0	*	205	(54.6)	0	*	155	(82.6)
R	Hardwood Lumber - MBF	245	23.7	1,556	(15.8)	208	(37.5)	2,164	(21.4)
A	Hardwood Veneer (MSF 1/8)	489	*	3,646	(66.2)	27	*	515	(65.2)
L	Particleboard (MSF 3/4)	0	*	76	(82.8)	0	*	39	(82.4)
I	Other					1,055	51.8	6,751	9.8
A	Subtotal					10,677	(29.3)	82,280	55.9

Japanese Market Data

Imports -Thousand Cubic Meters		Aug.	July	% Change Month	YTD	% Change YTD	U.S. Import Market Share YTD (%)
	Softwood Logs	1,111	1,172	(5.2)	10,159	0.1	52.1
	Softwood Lumber	616	950	(35.1)	6,196	24.1	23.7
	Hardwood Logs	679	651	4.4	5,909	(21.1)	1.7
	Hardwood Lumber	167	142	17.1	1,124	10.4	16.7
Housing Starts-000		Aug.	July	% Change Month	YTD	% Change YTD	Wooden Structures YTD %
		137.3	137.3	(0.0)	957.8	4.8	47.5

Source: Japan Wood Products Information & Research Center



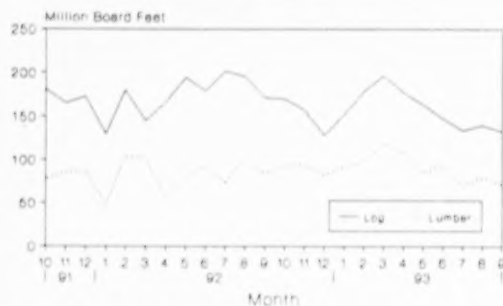
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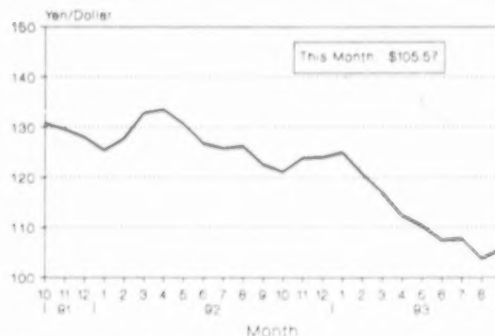
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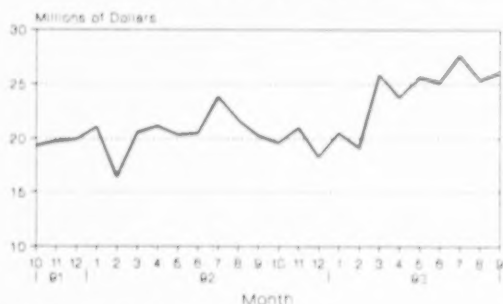
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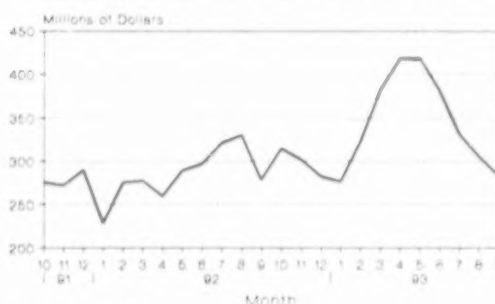
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Value of Hardwood Lumber Exports to the Pacific Rim



Source: U.S. Dept. of Commerce, FAS

Value of All Wood Products Exports to the Pacific Rim



Source: U.S. Dept. of Commerce, FAS

Total U.S. Exports to the Pacific Rim (\$000)

Country Markets	% Change			% Change YTD	Product Groups	% Change			% Change YTD
	Sept.	Month	YTD			Sept.	Month	YTD	
Japan	225,721	(2.8)	2,447,879	20.5	Softwood Logs	147,871	(7.1)	1,716,586	27.7
China	6,016	(37.4)	94,186	15.7	Softwood Lumber	45,693	(22.2)	567,132	34.5
Korea	31,088	(3.9)	315,153	40.9	Hardwood Logs	2,405	(38.3)	67,179	21.8
Taiwan	10,490	(34.1)	136,230	6.0	Hardwood Lumber	26,035	2.8	218,866	18.0
Australia	4,636	(56.6)	86,916	50.4	Hardwood Veneer	4,263	34.1	32,263	17.1
Hong Kong	3,223	(8.5)	25,965	12.6	Particleboard	1,095	(57.4)	17,281	(25.6)
Singapore	1,387	46.8	11,373	20.7	Other	55,194	5.5	498,396	0.1
TOTAL	\$282,561	(7.4)	\$3,117,703	22.0	TOTAL	\$282,561	(7.4)	\$3,117,703	22.0

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U.S. Exports To:

		VOLUME				VALUE-\$000			
		Sept.	% Change Month	YTD	% Change YTD	Sept.	% Change Month	YTD	% Change YTD
J	Softwood Logs - MBF	132,093	(5.3)	1,419,044	(9.1)	129,274	(1.6)	1,422,833	27.3
A	Softwood Lumber - MBF	70,482	(11.1)	814,450	10.7	39,704	(11.3)	463,613	29.0
P	Hardwood Logs - MBF	732	(53.8)	23,112	12.4	1,168	(48.6)	41,544	31.1
A	Hardwood Lumber - MBF	10,760	3.0	91,431	7.6	14,130	(0.3)	117,869	15.6
N	Hardwood Veneer (MSF 1/8)	9,195	(6.9)	96,444	9.3	1,020	(9.0)	10,805	(4.2)
A	Particleboard (MSF 3/4)	573	(10.7)	4,935	(47.7)	149	8.0	1,761	(15.6)
	Other					40,276	5.1	389,451	(4.2)
	Subtotal					225,721	(2.8)	2,447,879	20.5
K	Softwood Logs - MBF	22,219	(4.7)	250,571	(15.8)	13,952	(16.4)	185,746	43.8
O	Softwood Lumber - MBF	1,783	(41.9)	24,322	42.8	1,783	(41.3)	16,312	76.5
R	Hardwood Logs - MBF	477	(2.4)	10,325	19.9	729	(17.7)	13,541	19.8
E	Hardwood Lumber - MBF	2,467	8.4	18,044	17.7	3,115	13.5	22,759	35.8
A	Hardwood Veneer (MSF 1/8)	14,028	40.7	66,389	38.2	1,895	52.9	9,420	31.4
	Particleboard (MSF 3/4)	796	(71.7)	25,392	(47.0)	356	(65.9)	8,034	(24.4)
	Other					9,258	38.2	59,336	50.5
	Subtotal					31,088	(3.9)	315,153	40.9
C	Softwood Logs - MBF	10,692	3.7	113,835	(23.4)	4,542	(40.5)	86,266	12.3
H	Softwood Lumber - MBF	49	*	611	(84.8)	43	*	288	(82.3)
I	Hardwood Logs - MBF	0	*	1,095	77.9	0	*	1,245	*
N	Hardwood Lumber - MBF	109	94.0	1,219	1.9	82	*	1,273	62.8
A	Hardwood Veneer (MSF 1/8)	461	*	1,858	*	31	*	164	*
	Particleboard (MSF 3/4)	13	*	43	(57.1)	7	*	23	(14.8)
	Other					1,311	(30.7)	4,928	*
	Subtotal					6,016	(37.4)	94,186	15.7
T	Softwood Logs - MBF	193	(96.1)	27,278	(4.1)	103	(97.0)	21,643	32.0
A	Softwood Lumber - MBF	1,672	(46.0)	16,953	11.7	684	(48.2)	9,201	54.1
I	Hardwood Logs - MBF	318	(18.9)	6,642	7.1	469	(33.4)	10,189	14.2
W	Hardwood Lumber - MBF	6,688	(0.5)	63,304	(1.8)	5,796	(8.4)	58,525	10.1
A	Hardwood Veneer (MSF 1/8)	5,377	46.7	68,444	55.4	639	50.0	7,915	48.3
N	Particleboard (MSF 3/4)	1,785	(41.4)	29,136	(32.3)	487	(52.3)	6,054	(16.5)
	Other					2,312	(13.5)	22,706	(28.0)
	Subtotal					10,490	(34.1)	136,230	6.0
A	Softwood Logs - MBF	0	*	49	(91.3)	0	*	45	(79.5)
S	Softwood Lumber - MBF	4,610	(62.7)	105,182	25.4	3,320	(64.6)	75,933	70.1
T	Hardwood Logs - MBF	12	*	217	(57.4)	32	*	187	(80.8)
R	Hardwood Lumber - MBF	256	4.3	1,812	(19.5)	434	*	2,599	(20.2)
A	Hardwood Veneer (MSF 1/8)	74	(84.8)	3,720	(67.0)	9	(66.7)	524	(65.9)
L	Particleboard (MSF 3/4)	0	*	76	(84.5)	0	*	39	(84.3)
I	Other					841	(20.3)	7,592	10.1
A	Subtotal					4,636	(56.6)	86,916	50.4

Japanese Market Data

		Sept.	Aug.	% Change Month	YTD	% Change YTD	U.S. Import Market Share YTD (%)
Imports -Thousand Cubic Meters							
	Softwood Logs	1,093	1,111	(1.6)	11,252	(1.4)	51.7
	Softwood Lumber	665	616	7.9	6,861	21.6	23.6
	Hardwood Logs	662	679	(2.5)	6,571	(20.9)	1.6
	Hardwood Lumber	157	167	(6.2)	1,280	11.2	16.7
		Sept.	Aug.	% Change Month	YTD	% Change YTD	Wooden Structures YTD %
Housing Starts-000		136.3	137.3	(0.7)	1,094.2	5.5	47.5

Source: Japan Wood Products Information & Research Center

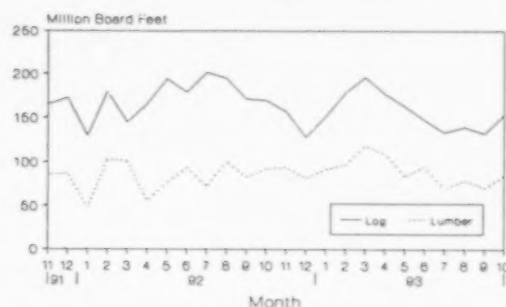


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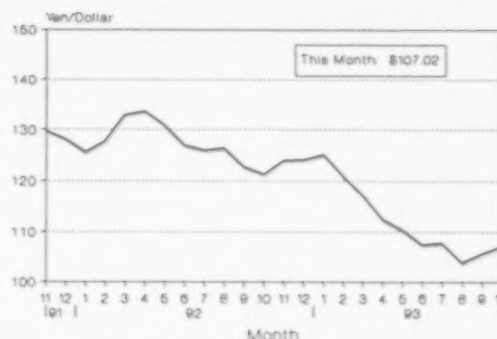
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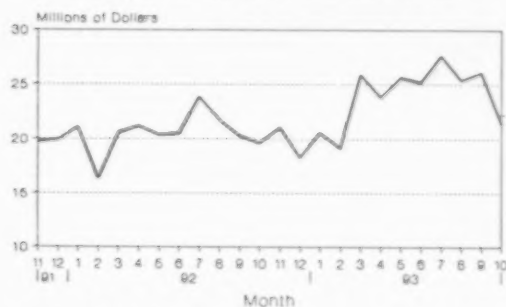
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Softwood Logs & Lumber

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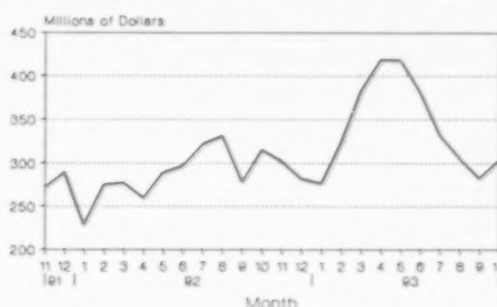
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Source: Federal Reserve Board

Value of Hardwood Lumber
Exports to the Pacific Rim

Source: U.S. Dept. of Commerce, FAS

Value of All Wood Products
Exports to the Pacific Rim

Source: U.S. Dept. of Commerce, FAS

Total U.S. Exports to the Pacific Rim (\$000)

Country Markets	Oct.	% Change Month	YTD	% Change YTD	Product Groups	Oct.	% Change Month	YTD	% Change YTD
Japan	263,957	16.9	2,711,836	19.4	Softwood Logs	149,088	0.8	1,865,675	22.7
China	4,830	(19.7)	99,016	4.0	Softwood Lumber	56,326	23.3	623,459	30.0
Korea	12,586	(59.5)	327,739	25.4	Hardwood Logs	3,792	57.7	70,971	19.8
Taiwan	14,498	38.2	150,727	7.6	Hardwood Lumber	21,358	(18.0)	240,224	17.1
Australia	3,270	(29.5)	90,187	38.2	Hardwood Veneer	3,747	(12.1)	36,010	17.6
Hong Kong	2,983	(7.4)	28,948	12.5	Particleboard	1,614	47.4	18,895	(24.2)
Singapore	941	(32.2)	12,314	16.5	Other	67,139	21.6	565,535	2.8
TOTAL	\$303,065	7.3	\$3,420,768	19.2	TOTAL	\$303,065	7.3	\$3,420,768	19.2

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U.S. Exports To:

		VOLUME				VALUE-\$000			
		Oct.	% Change Month	YTD	% Change YTD	Oct.	% Change Month	YTD	% Change YTD
J	Softwood Logs - MBF	153,442	16.2	1,572,486	(9.2)	141,509	9.5	1,564,342	24.5
A	Softwood Lumber - MBF	84,316	19.6	898,766	8.5	52,930	33.3	516,544	26.6
P	Hardwood Logs - MBF	1,603	*	24,715	11.7	1,994	70.7	43,538	26.9
A	Hardwood Lumber - MBF	9,271	(13.8)	100,702	8.1	12,017	(15.0)	129,886	15.8
A	Hardwood Veneer (MSF 1/8)	10,626	15.6	105,070	10.0	1,345	31.9	12,150	(5.5)
M	Particleboard (MSF 3/4)	694	21.0	5,629	(45.2)	142	(4.7)	1,903	(16.0)
	Other					54,020	34.1	443,471	(0.5)
	Subtotal					263,957	16.9	2,711,836	19.4
K	Softwood Logs - MBF	1,121	(95.0)	251,692	(26.9)	750	(94.6)	186,496	22.2
O	Softwood Lumber - MBF	425	(76.1)	24,747	24.3	273	(84.7)	16,585	40.3
R	Hardwood Logs - MBF	350	(26.7)	10,674	20.6	703	(3.6)	14,244	22.0
E	Hardwood Lumber - MBF	1,827	(25.9)	19,871	21.1	2,611	(16.2)	25,370	40.3
A	Hardwood Veneer (MSF 1/8)	9,579	(31.7)	75,968	50.1	1,189	(37.3)	10,609	39.9
A	Particleboard (MSF 3/4)	1,622	*	27,014	(48.0)	757	*	8,791	(23.2)
	Other					6,303	(31.9)	65,639	36.6
	Subtotal					12,586	(59.5)	327,739	25.4
C	Softwood Logs - MBF	6,506	(39.1)	120,342	(31.3)	3,856	(15.1)	90,122	0.2
H	Softwood Lumber - MBF	0	*	611	(84.8)	0	*	288	(82.3)
I	Hardwood Logs - MBF	88	*	1,183	82.0	206	*	1,451	*
A	Hardwood Lumber - MBF	88	(19.8)	1,307	(2.1)	87	6.1	1,359	48.7
A	Hardwood Veneer (MSF 1/8)	718	56.0	2,576	*	90	*	254	*
A	Particleboard (MSF 3/4)	0	*	43	(57.1)	0	*	23	(14.8)
	Other					591	(54.9)	5,519	*
	Subtotal					4,830	(19.7)	99,016	4.0
T	Softwood Logs - MBF	4,635	*	31,914	11.2	2,958	*	24,601	45.6
A	Softwood Lumber - MBF	2,544	52.1	19,497	8.0	1,202	75.7	10,403	45.7
I	Hardwood Logs - MBF	583	83.6	7,225	8.6	877	87.0	11,066	12.3
A	Hardwood Lumber - MBF	5,787	(13.5)	69,091	(3.4)	4,937	(14.8)	63,461	6.3
A	Hardwood Veneer (MSF 1/8)	3,591	(33.2)	72,035	47.8	402	(37.1)	8,316	41.2
A	Particleboard (MSF 3/4)	2,300	28.8	31,436	(31.6)	561	15.2	6,615	(13.7)
N	Other					3,561	54.0	26,267	(20.2)
	Subtotal					14,498	38.2	150,727	7.6
A	Softwood Logs - MBF	32	*	82	(86.6)	15	*	60	(80.5)
S	Softwood Lumber - MBF	2,364	(48.7)	107,546	13.8	1,690	(49.1)	77,623	54.7
T	Hardwood Logs - MBF	3	(76.4)	220	(57.1)	3	(90.6)	190	(80.5)
R	Hardwood Lumber - MBF	167	(34.9)	1,978	(19.3)	254	(41.5)	2,853	(20.2)
A	Hardwood Veneer (MSF 1/8)	2,630	*	6,350	(53.3)	350	*	874	(52.7)
L	Particleboard (MSF 3/4)	0	*	76	(86.8)	0	*	39	(86.7)
I	Other					958	13.9	8,550	6.2
A	Subtotal					3,270	(29.5)	90,187	38.2

Japanese Market Data

Imports -Thousand Cubic Meters		Oct.	Sept.	% Change Month	YTD	% Change YTD	U.S. Import Market Share YTD (%)
Softwood Logs		1,219	1,093	11.5	12,471	(2.1)	51.4
Softwood Lumber		626	665	(5.9)	7,487	20.3	23.3
Hardwood Logs		782	662	18.1	7,353	(19.7)	1.4
Hardwood Lumber		183	157	16.9	1,463	13.5	16.2
Housing Starts-000		Oct.	Sept.	% Change Month	YTD	% Change YTD	Wooden Structures YTD %
		134.5	136.3	(1.3)	1,228.7	5.7	47.5

Source: Japan Wood Products Information & Research Center



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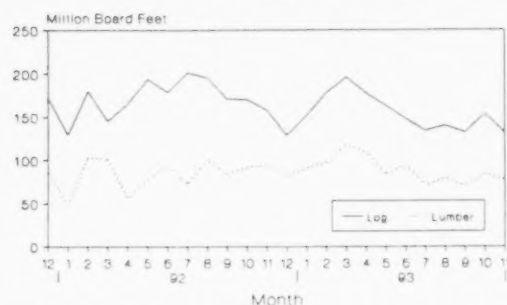
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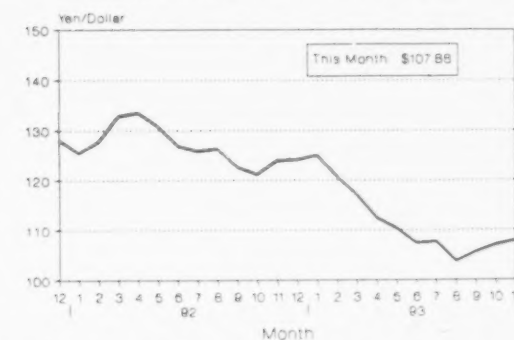
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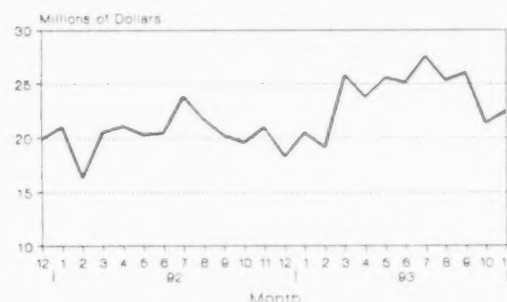
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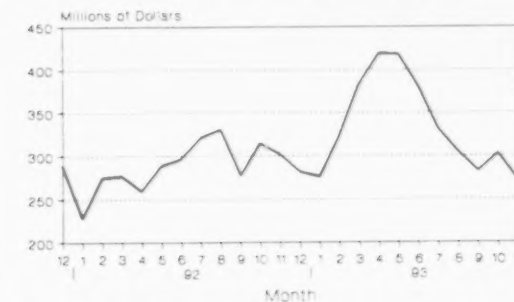
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Value of Hardwood Lumber Exports to the Pacific Rim



Value of All Wood Products Exports to the Pacific Rim



Total U.S. Exports to the Pacific Rim (\$000)

Country Markets	Nov.	% Change Month	YTD	% Change YTD	Product Groups	Nov.	% Change Month	YTD	% Change YTD
Japan	228,839	(13.3)	2,940,675	17.1	Softwood Logs	132,610	(11.1)	1,998,283	19.2
China	3,163	(34.5)	102,179	(5.7)	Softwood Lumber	47,023	(16.5)	670,481	25.3
Korea	22,697	80.3	350,436	23.0	Hardwood Logs	7,043	85.7	78,014	22.2
Taiwan	12,934	(10.8)	163,662	4.9	Hardwood Lumber	22,452	5.1	262,677	16.2
Australia	1,318	(59.7)	91,505	27.2	Hardwood Veneer	4,007	6.9	40,017	20.1
Hong Kong	3,170	6.3	32,118	15.3	Particleboard	1,153	(28.6)	20,048	(24.9)
Singapore	964	2.4	13,279	12.7	Other	58,796	(12.4)	624,331	2.4
TOTAL	\$273,086	(9.9)	\$3,693,853	16.5	TOTAL	\$273,086	(9.9)	\$3,693,853	16.5

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U.S. Exports To:

		VOLUME				VALUE-\$000			
		Nov.	% Change Month	YTD	% Change YTD	Nov.	% Change Month	YTD	% Change YTD
J	Softwood Logs - MBF	131,278	(14.4)	1,703,764	(9.8)	120,100	(15.1)	1,684,442	21.6
A	Softwood Lumber - MBF	77,113	(8.5)	975,880	5.8	44,243	(16.4)	560,787	23.1
P	Hardwood Logs - MBF	2,985	86.2	27,700	17.9	4,980	*	48,517	29.5
A	Hardwood Lumber - MBF	8,046	(13.2)	108,748	6.5	11,365	(5.4)	141,252	14.5
A	Hardwood Veneer (MSF 1/8)	11,483	8.1	116,553	8.3	1,322	(1.7)	13,472	(2.5)
N	Particleboard (MSF 3/4)	321	(53.7)	5,951	(42.7)	71	(50.0)	1,974	(14.8)
	Other					46,758	(13.4)	490,229	(0.7)
	Subtotal					228,839	(13.3)	2,940,675	17.1
K	Softwood Logs - MBF	15,075	*	266,767	(28.3)	8,732	*	195,228	17.9
O	Softwood Lumber - MBF	1,061	149.5	25,809	22.9	769	*	17,354	40.9
R	Hardwood Logs - MBF	553	58.2	11,227	23.1	1,023	45.5	15,267	23.5
E	Hardwood Lumber - MBF	2,354	28.8	22,225	24.9	3,130	19.9	28,499	44.8
A	Hardwood Veneer (MSF 1/8)	10,626	10.9	86,593	55.4	1,301	9.4	11,909	42.1
	Particleboard (MSF 3/4)	2,625	61.8	29,639	(48.1)	459	(39.4)	9,250	(25.9)
	Other					7,283	15.5	72,922	35.2
	Subtotal					22,697	80.3	350,436	23.0
C	Softwood Logs - MBF	4,195	(35.5)	124,537	(36.8)	2,200	(42.9)	92,322	(9.3)
H	Softwood Lumber - MBF	75	*	685	(88.6)	65	*	353	(86.6)
I	Hardwood Logs - MBF	75	(15.0)	1,258	83.3	166	(19.4)	1,617	*
N	Hardwood Lumber - MBF	25	(72.0)	1,332	(2.1)	35	(59.8)	1,394	48.9
A	Hardwood Veneer (MSF 1/8)	108	(85.0)	2,684	*	11	(87.8)	265	*
	Particleboard (MSF 3/4)	62	*	105	5.1	10	*	32	18.5
	Other					676	14.4	6,195	*
	Subtotal					3,163	(34.5)	102,179	(5.7)
T	Softwood Logs - MBF	3,161	(31.8)	35,075	2.0	1,578	(46.7)	26,178	25.2
A	Softwood Lumber - MBF	3,125	22.8	22,622	15.9	1,010	(16.0)	11,413	46.3
I	Hardwood Logs - MBF	490	(16.0)	7,715	10.1	759	(13.5)	11,825	13.1
W	Hardwood Lumber - MBF	5,947	2.8	75,038	(4.9)	5,581	13.0	69,042	4.1
A	Hardwood Veneer (MSF 1/8)	7,178	99.9	79,213	52.6	914	*	9,230	47.9
N	Particleboard (MSF 3/4)	2,099	(8.7)	33,535	(32.3)	518	(7.7)	7,133	(12.4)
	Other					2,574	(27.7)	28,841	(20.4)
	Subtotal					12,934	(10.8)	163,662	4.9
A	Softwood Logs - MBF	0	*	82	(86.6)	0	*	60	(80.5)
S	Softwood Lumber - MBF	960	(59.4)	108,506	4.6	659	(61.0)	78,282	41.0
T	Hardwood Logs - MBF	12	*	232	(54.7)	11	*	201	(79.4)
R	Hardwood Lumber - MBF	93	(44.3)	2,071	(25.1)	130	(48.8)	2,983	(23.4)
A	Hardwood Veneer (MSF 1/8)	561	(78.7)	6,911	(51.8)	82	(76.6)	955	(51.2)
L	Particleboard (MSF 3/4)	0	*	76	(86.8)	0	*	39	(86.7)
I	Other					436	(54.5)	8,986	(0.5)
A	Subtotal					1,318	(59.7)	91,505	27.2

Japanese Market Data

U.S. Import						U.S. Import
Imports -Thousand Cubic Meters	Nov.	Oct.	% Change Month	YTD	% Change YTD	Market Share
						YTD (%)
Softwood Logs	1,116	1,219	(8.4)	13,587	(1.7)	51.5
Softwood Lumber	728	626	16.3	8,214	19.5	23.1
Hardwood Logs	729	782	(6.7)	8,082	(19.6)	1.4
Hardwood Lumber	158	183	(13.4)	1,621	14.4	16.1
Housing Starts-000	Nov.	Oct.	% Change Month	YTD	% Change YTD	Wooden Structures
						YTD %
	131.1	134.5	(2.5)	1,359.8	6.0	47.2

Source: Japan Wood Products Information & Research Center



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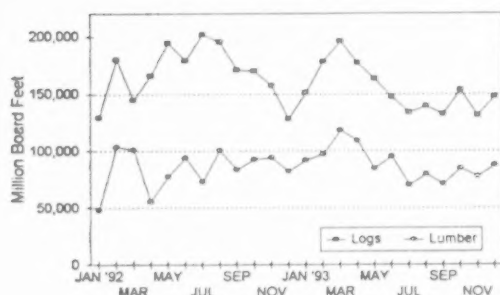
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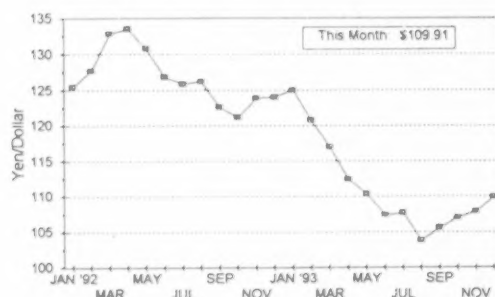
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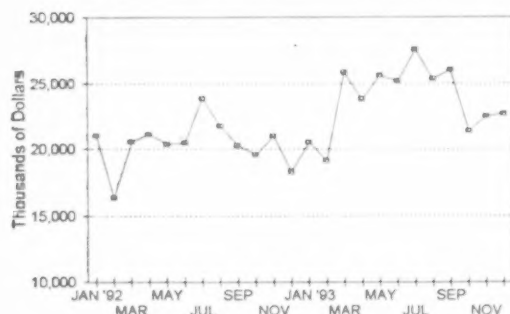
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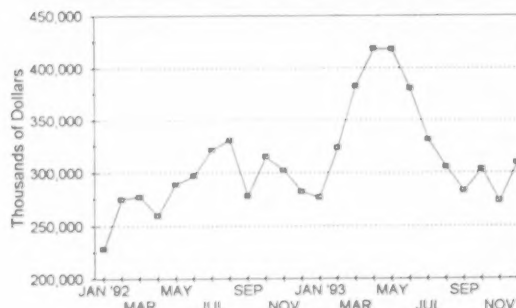
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Value of Hardwood Lumber Exports to the Pacific Rim



Value of All Wood Products Exports to the Pacific Rim



Total U.S. Exports to the Pacific Rim (\$000)

Country Markets	Dec.	% Change Month	YTD	% Change YTD
Japan	253,008	10.6	3,193,684	17.3
China	4,098	29.6	106,277	(17.2)
Korea	26,549	17.0	376,984	19.0
Taiwan	15,028	16.2	178,690	7.4
Australia	5,428	311.8	96,932	25.3
Hong Kong	4,259	34.4	36,377	23.4
Singapore	1,076	11.6	14,355	13.3
TOTAL	\$309,445	13.3	\$4,003,298	15.9

Product Groups	Dec.	% Change Month	YTD	% Change YTD
Softwood Logs	158,125	19.2	2,156,409	18.2
Softwood Lumber	56,410	20.0	726,885	24.1
Hardwood Logs	7,727	9.7	85,746	21.9
Hardwood Lumber	22,648	0.9	285,326	16.8
Hardwood Veneer	3,906	(2.5)	43,923	21.1
Particleboard	1,494	29.5	21,545	(25.2)
Other	59,136	0.6	683,467	2.9
TOTAL	\$309,445	13.3	\$4,003,298	15.9

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U.S. Exports To:

		VOLUME				VALUE-\$000			
		Dec	% Change Month	YTD	% Change YTD	Dec	% Change Month	YTD	% Change YTD
J A P A N	Softwood Logs - MBF	147,651	12.5	1,851,415	(8.2)	137,864	14.8	1,822,307	22.0
	Softwood Lumber - MBF	87,272	13.2	1,063,152	5.9	51,949	17.4	612,736	22.9
	Hardwood Logs - MBF	3,195	7.0	30,894	16.7	5,319	*	53,837	26.9
	Hardwood Lumber - MBF	8,627	7.2	117,375	7.4	11,111	(2.2)	152,362	14.7
	Hardwood Veneer (MSF 1/8)	11,622	1.2	128,176	7.0	981	(25.8)	14,453	(3.4)
	Particleboard (MSF 3/4)	117	(63.6)	6,068	(45.3)	78	9.9	2,052	(15.6)
Other						45,706	(2.2)	535,935	(0.4)
Subtotal						253,008	10.6	3,193,684	17.3
K O R E A	Softwood Logs - MBF	24,323	*	291,090	(28.5)	14,035	*	209,264	13.5
	Softwood Lumber - MBF	720	(32.2)	26,529	10.2	355	(53.8)	17,709	16.9
	Hardwood Logs - MBF	865	56.4	12,093	24.6	1,263	23.5	16,530	27.8
	Hardwood Lumber - MBF	1,920	(18.4)	24,145	26.0	2,678	(14.4)	31,178	44.8
	Hardwood Veneer (MSF 1/8)	12,690	19.4	99,283	63.1	1,573	20.9	13,482	49.1
	Particleboard (MSF 3/4)	4,125	57.1	33,764	(47.2)	671	46.2	9,921	(28.6)
Other						5,974	(18.0)	78,896	31.6
Subtotal						26,549	17.0	376,984	19.0
C H I N A	Softwood Logs - MBF	5,430	29.4	129,967	(45.0)	3,494	58.8	95,816	(21.0)
	Softwood Lumber - MBF	83	11.4	768	(87.8)	45	(30.8)	398	(85.5)
	Hardwood Logs - MBF	89	18.2	1,347	64.3	172	3.6	1,789	*
	Hardwood Lumber - MBF	142	*	1,474	0.7	179	*	1,574	56.9
	Hardwood Veneer (MSF 1/8)	28	(74.3)	2,712	*	3	(72.7)	268	*
	Particleboard (MSF 3/4)	169	*	275	*	50	*	82	*
Other						155	(77.1)	6,350	*
Subtotal						4,098	29.6	106,277	(17.2)
T A I W A N	Softwood Logs - MBF	5,216	65.0	40,290	14.1	2,732	73.1	28,910	33.6
	Softwood Lumber - MBF	1,456	(53.4)	24,078	16.9	731	(27.6)	12,144	45.0
	Hardwood Logs - MBF	457	(6.7)	8,172	11.7	785	3.4	12,610	14.1
	Hardwood Lumber - MBF	7,295	22.7	82,333	(3.5)	6,002	7.5	75,044	4.5
	Hardwood Veneer (MSF 1/8)	5,207	(27.5)	84,420	43.2	591	(35.3)	9,821	38.8
	Particleboard (MSF 3/4)	1,950	(7.1)	35,485	(32.2)	379	(26.8)	7,511	(12.0)
Other						3,808	47.9	32,649	(14.0)
Subtotal						15,028	16.2	178,690	7.4
A U S T R A L I A	Softwood Logs - MBF	0	*	82	(86.8)	0	*	60	(81.7)
	Softwood Lumber - MBF	4,406	*	112,912	1.8	2,871	*	81,153	36.6
	Hardwood Logs - MBF	76	*	308	(58.9)	143	*	344	(71.1)
	Hardwood Lumber - MBF	277	*	2,348	(18.2)	445	*	3,428	(16.4)
	Hardwood Veneer (MSF 1/8)	2,326	*	9,238	(38.6)	305	*	1,260	(38.2)
	Particleboard (MSF 3/4)	0	*	76	(86.8)	0	*	39	(86.7)
Other						1,664	*	10,650	6.6
Subtotal						5,428	*	96,932	25.3

Japanese Market Data

Imports (Thousand Cubic Meters)					U.S. Import Market Share	
	Nov	Oct	% Change Month	YTD	% Change YTD	YTD (%)
Softwood Logs	1,116	1,219	(8.4)	13,587	(1.7)	51.5
Softwood Lumber	728	626	16.3	8,214	19.5	23.1
Hardwood Logs	729	782	(6.7)	8,082	(19.6)	1.4
Hardwood Lumber	158	183	(13.4)	1,621	14.4	16.1
	Dec.	Nov.	% Change Month	YTD	% Change YTD	Wooden Structures YTD %
Housing Starts-000	125.9	131.1	(4.0)	1,485.7	5.9	46.9

Sources: Japan Wood Products Information & Research Center;

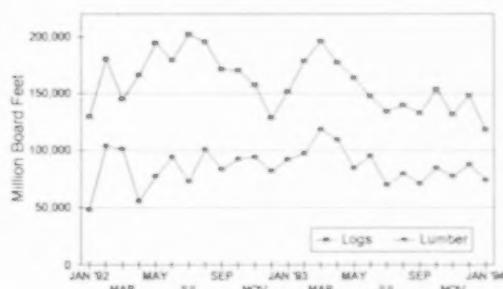
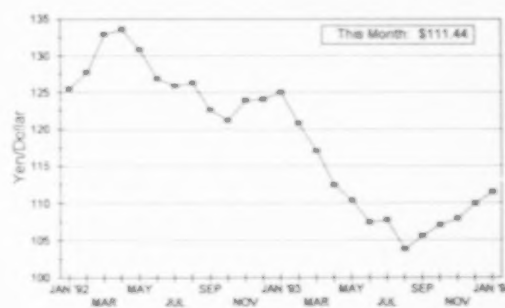
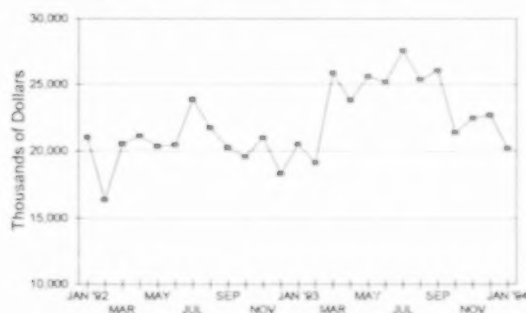
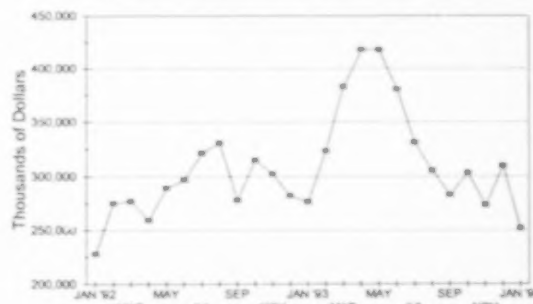


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Value of Hardwood Lumber
Exports to the Pacific Rim

Value of All Wood Products
Exports to the Pacific Rim

Total U.S. Exports to the Pacific Rim (\$000)

Country Markets	% Change		YTD	% Change YTD
	Jan.	Month		
Japan	217,349	(14.1)	217,349	(7.5)
China	1,908	(53.4)	1,908	(65.0)
Korea	15,568	(41.4)	15,568	0.0
Taiwan	9,876	(34.3)	9,876	(28.2)
Australia	3,060	(43.6)	3,060	(5.6)
Hong Kong	2,951	(30.7)	2,951	49.4
Singapore	911	(15.3)	911	(31.6)
TOTAL	\$251,624	(18.7)	\$251,624	(8.9)

Product Groups	% Change		YTD	% Change YTD
	Jan.	Month		
Softwood Logs	120,465	(23.8)	120,465	(18.8)
Softwood Lumber	50,917	(9.7)	50,917	7.9
Hardwood Logs	5,317	(31.2)	5,317	(23.6)
Hardwood Lumber	20,174	(10.9)	20,174	(1.5)
Hardwood Veneer	3,152	(19.3)	3,152	(9.6)
Particleboard	1,386	(7.2)	1,386	(9.2)
Other	50,209	(15.1)	50,209	4.0
TOTAL	\$251,624	(18.7)	\$251,624	(8.9)

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U.S. Exports To:		VOLUME				VALUE-\$000			
		Jan.	% Change Month	YTD	% Change YTD	Jan.	% Change Month	YTD	% Change YTD
J	Softwood Logs - MBF	117,714	(20.3)	117,714	(22.2)	117,528	(14.8)	117,528	(11.9)
A	Softwood Lumber - MBF	73,713	(15.5)	73,713	(19.6)	47,326	(8.9)	47,326	8.6
P	Hardwood Logs - MBF	1,807	(43.4)	1,807	(13.1)	3,139	(41.0)	3,139	(38.2)
A	Hardwood Lumber - MBF	7,817	(9.4)	7,817	(18.3)	10,321	(7.1)	10,321	(15.7)
N	Hardwood Veneer (MSF 1/8)	14,278	22.8	14,278	79.1	1,123	14.5	1,123	32.9
	Particleboard (MSF 3/4)	101	(14.0)	101	(75.3)	51	(34.6)	51	(50.5)
	Other					37,861	(17.2)	37,861	(4.9)
	Subtotal					217,349	(14.1)	217,349	(7.5)
K	Softwood Logs - MBF	2,796	(88.5)	2,796	(81.3)	1,455	(89.6)	1,455	(80.7)
O	Softwood Lumber - MBF	911	*	911	(31.6)	1,039	*	1,039	*
R	Hardwood Logs - MBF	545	(37.0)	545	(3.3)	1,026	(18.8)	1,026	(2.7)
E	Hardwood Lumber - MBF	2,055	7.0	2,055	83.9	2,708	1.1	2,708	96.9
A	Hardwood Veneer (MSF 1/8)	9,985	(21.3)	9,985	44.2	1,090	(30.7)	1,090	(3.9)
	Particleboard (MSF 3/4)	2,614	(36.6)	2,614	(27.3)	461	(31.3)	461	(52.3)
	Other					7,789	30.4	7,789	*
	Subtotal					15,568	(41.4)	15,568	0.0
C	Softwood Logs - MBF	2,610	(51.9)	2,610	(64.4)	1,399	(60.0)	1,399	(71.4)
H	Softwood Lumber - MBF	0	*	0	*	0	*	0	*
I	Hardwood Logs - MBF	303	*	303	*	294	70.9	294	*
N	Hardwood Lumber - MBF	86	(39.4)	86	(39.0)	106	(40.8)	106	19.1
A	Hardwood Veneer (MSF 1/8)	524	*	524	*	54	*	54	*
	Particleboard (MSF 3/4)	19	(89.0)	19	*	10	(80.0)	10	*
	Other					45	(71.0)	45	(89.7)
	Subtotal					1,908	(53.4)	1,908	(65.0)
T	Softwood Logs - MBF	142	(97.3)	142	(96.9)	83	(97.0)	83	(96.8)
A	Softwood Lumber - MBF	1,586	8.9	1,586	2.2	738	1.0	738	4.4
I	Hardwood Logs - MBF	472	3.2	472	24.5	816	3.9	816	14.4
W	Hardwood Lumber - MBF	5,680	(22.1)	5,680	11.4	5,152	(14.2)	5,152	(4.0)
A	Hardwood Veneer (MSF 1/8)	3,432	(34.1)	3,432	(59.1)	383	(35.2)	383	(63.2)
N	Particleboard (MSF 3/4)	4,230	*	4,230	74.3	561	48.0	561	49.6
	Other					2,143	(43.7)	2,143	(27.8)
	Subtotal					9,876	(34.3)	9,876	(28.2)
A	Softwood Logs - MBF	0	*	0	*	0	*	0	*
S	Softwood Lumber - MBF	2,624	(40.4)	2,624	(34.3)	1,707	*	1,707	(26.0)
T	Hardwood Logs - MBF	0	*	0	*	0	*	0	*
R	Hardwood Lumber - MBF	168	(39.3)	168	(3.2)	256	(42.5)	256	66.2
A	Hardwood Veneer (MSF 1/8)	1,354	(41.8)	1,354	40.9	163	(46.6)	163	71.6
L	Particleboard (MSF 3/4)	0	*	0	*	0	*	0	*
I	Other					934	(43.9)	934	38.6
A	Subtotal					3,060	(43.6)	3,060	(5.6)

Japanese Market Data

Imports (Thousand Cubic Meters)	U.S. Import Market Share					
	Jan.	Dec.	% Change Month	YTD	% Change YTD	YTD (%)
Softwood Logs	1,047	1,142	(8.3)	1,047	(7.4)	56.5
Softwood Lumber	791	656	20.6	791	8.3	21.1
Hardwood Logs	730	627	16.4	730	13.3	1.9
Hardwood Lumber	145	130	11.5	145	(8.9)	15.3
	Wooden Structures					
	Jan.	Dec.	% Change Month	YTD	% Change YTD	YTD %
Housing Starts-000	106.1	125.9	(15.7)	106.1	20.7	42.6

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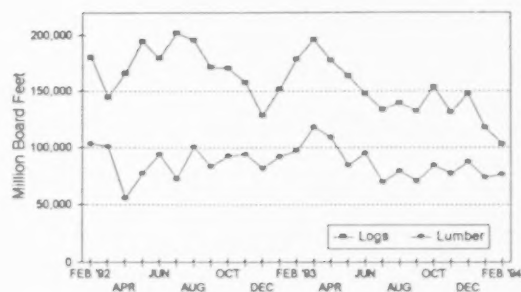
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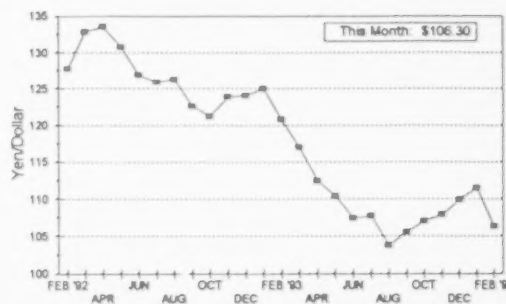
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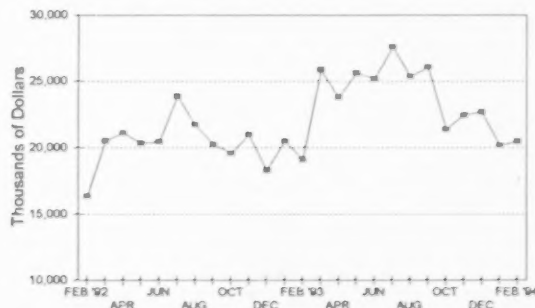
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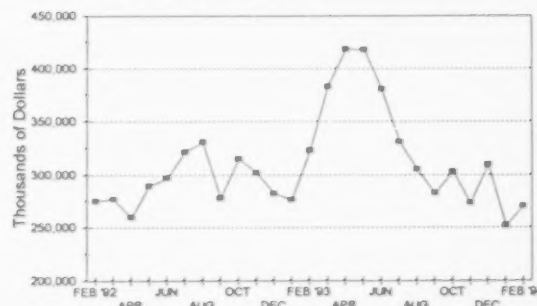
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Value of Hardwood Lumber Exports to the Pacific Rim



Value of All Wood Products Exports to the Pacific Rim



Total U.S. Exports to the Pacific Rim (\$000)

Country Markets	Feb.	% Change Month	YTD	% Change YTD
Japan	217,801	0.2	435,150	(14.8)
China	8,876	*	10,784	13.0
Korea	27,359	75.7	42,927	8.9
Taiwan	10,603	7.4	20,479	(15.4)
Australia	1,441	(52.9)	4,502	(50.1)
Hong Kong	3,134	6.2	6,086	42.6
Singapore	1,096	20.3	2,007	(20.3)
TOTAL	\$270,311	7.4	\$521,935	(12.9)

Product Groups	Feb.	% Change Month	YTD	% Change YTD
Softwood Logs	127,623	5.9	248,088	(23.9)
Softwood Lumber	53,331	4.7	104,248	(3.2)
Hardwood Logs	7,799	46.7	13,116	(11.0)
Hardwood Lumber	20,479	1.5	40,653	2.6
Hardwood Veneer	3,815	21.0	6,967	0.4
Particleboard	1,690	21.9	3,076	0.1
Other	55,571	10.7	105,780	4.3
TOTAL	\$270,311	7.4	\$521,935	(12.9)

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U.S. Exports To:

		VOLUME				VALUE-\$000			
		Feb.	% Change Month	YTD	% Change YTD	Feb.	% Change Month	YTD	% Change YTD
J	Softwood Logs - MBF	103,029	(12.5)	220,742	(33.1)	108,727	(7.5)	226,255	(22.8)
A	Softwood Lumber - MBF	76,420	3.7	150,133	(20.5)	48,563	2.6	95,888	(0.6)
P	Hardwood Logs - MBF	2,900	60.5	4,707	(13.2)	5,870	*	9,009	(14.6)
A	Hardwood Lumber - MBF	7,306	(6.5)	15,123	(12.9)	9,758	(5.5)	20,078	(10.8)
N	Hardwood Veneer (MSF 1/8)	11,886	(16.7)	26,164	33.9	1,228	9.3	2,351	5.8
	Particleboard (MSF 3/4)	618	*	718	9.3	133	*	184	(15.2)
	Other					43,522	15.0	81,383	(4.8)
	Subtotal					217,801	0.2	435,150	(14.8)
K	Softwood Logs - MBF	16,288	*	19,084	(47.0)	9,764	*	11,219	(48.5)
O	Softwood Lumber - MBF	2,556	*	3,466	(38.6)	3,273	*	4,312	*
R	Hardwood Logs - MBF	888	63.0	1,434	(14.5)	1,049	2.2	2,075	(10.6)
E	Hardwood Lumber - MBF	2,118	3.1	4,173	65.9	3,039	12.2	5,746	77.7
A	Hardwood Veneer (MSF 1/8)	13,381	34.0	23,365	*	1,513	38.8	2,603	63.2
	Particleboard (MSF 3/4)	4,448	70.2	7,063	16.2	1,002	*	1,463	(4.3)
	Other					7,719	(0.9)	15,508	*
	Subtotal					27,359	75.7	42,927	8.9
C	Softwood Logs - MBF	10,458	*	13,068	(4.4)	8,447	*	9,846	14.8
H	Softwood Lumber - MBF	89	*	89	21.4	27	*	27	3.8
I	Hardwood Logs - MBF	59	(80.7)	362	*	105	(64.3)	398	*
N	Hardwood Lumber - MBF	139	*	225	(8.8)	100	(5.7)	206	(3.7)
A	Hardwood Veneer (MSF 1/8)	824	*	1,348	*	92	*	145	*
	Particleboard (MSF 3/4)	99	*	118	*	29	*	39	*
	Other					76	68.9	121	(79.4)
	Subtotal					8,876	*	10,784	13.0
T	Softwood Logs - MBF	363	*	505	(89.0)	686	*	769	(70.7)
A	Softwood Lumber - MBF	1,097	(30.9)	2,683	2.4	723	(2.0)	1,460	10.1
I	Hardwood Logs - MBF	369	(21.7)	841	(2.6)	644	(21.1)	1,460	(7.9)
W	Hardwood Lumber - MBF	5,884	3.6	11,564	8.4	5,599	8.7	10,751	(2.2)
A	Hardwood Veneer (MSF 1/8)	5,383	56.8	8,816	(51.7)	426	*	809	(61.1)
N	Particleboard (MSF 3/4)	2,359	(44.2)	6,589	1.8	353	(37.1)	914	(15.0)
	Other					2,172	1.4	4,315	(4.7)
	Subtotal					10,603	7.4	20,479	(15.4)
A	Softwood Logs - MBF	0	*	0	*	0	*	0	*
S	Softwood Lumber - MBF	718	(72.6)	3,342	(72.2)	507	*	2,213	(67.9)
T	Hardwood Logs - MBF	5	*	5	*	12	*	12	*
R	Hardwood Lumber - MBF	93	(44.8)	261	(1.8)	124	(51.6)	381	34.2
A	Hardwood Veneer (MSF 1/8)	469	(65.4)	1,822	89.7	52	(68.1)	215	126.3
L	Particleboard (MSF 3/4)	0	*	0	*	0	*	0	*
I	Other					746	(20.1)	1,680	0.1
A	Subtotal					1,441	(52.9)	4,502	(50.1)

Japanese Market Data

Imports (Thousand Cubic Meters)	Jan.	Dec.	% Change Month	YTD	% Change YTD	U.S. Import Market Share YTD (%)
Softwood Logs	1,047	1,142	(8.3)	1,047	(7.4)	56.5
Softwood Lumber	791	656	20.6	791	8.3	21.1
Hardwood Logs	730	627	16.4	730	13.3	1.9
Hardwood Lumber	145	130	11.5	145	(8.9)	15.3
	Feb.	Jan.	% Change Month	YTD	% Change YTD	Wooden Structures YTD %
Housing Starts-000	106.1	125.9	(15.7)	106.1	20.7	42.6

Sources: Japan Wood Products Information & Research Center;



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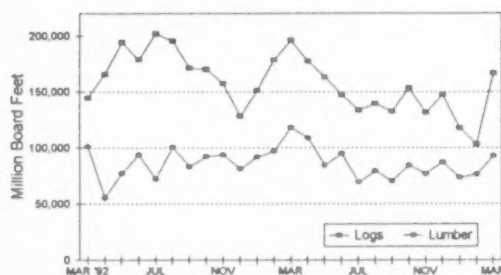
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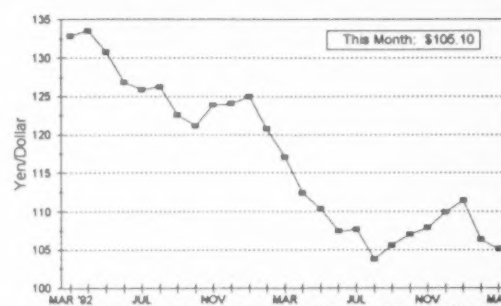
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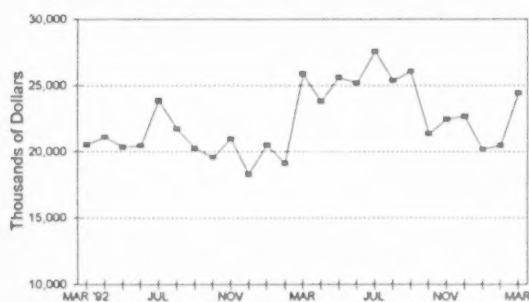
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Softwood Logs & Lumber**



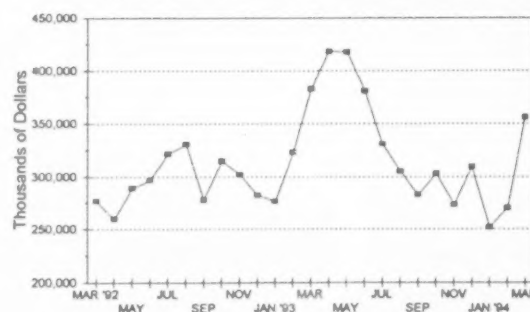
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**Value of Hardwood Lumber
Exports to the Pacific Rim**



**Value of All Wood Products
Exports to the Pacific Rim**



Total U.S. Exports to the Pacific Rim (\$000)

Country Markets	% Change		% Change	
	Mar.	Month	YTD	YTD
Japan	288,626	32.5	723,776	(12.8)
China	7,177	(19.1)	17,961	(23.3)
Korea	31,969	16.9	74,895	13.2
Taiwan	15,248	43.8	35,727	(6.8)
Australia	7,751	437.9	12,253	(17.9)
Hong Kong	4,099	30.8	10,184	59.2
Singapore	1,169	6.7	3,177	(8.5)
TOTAL	\$356,038	31.7	\$877,973	(10.6)

Product Groups	% Change		% Change	
	Mar.	Month	YTD	YTD
Softwood Logs	187,022	46.5	435,111	(19.3)
Softwood Lumber	68,944	29.3	173,191	(1.9)
Hardwood Logs	8,576	10.0	21,692	(20.1)
Hardwood Lumber	24,394	19.1	65,046	(0.6)
Hardwood Veneer	5,088	33.4	12,055	11.5
Particleboard	1,301	(23.0)	4,377	(13.9)
Other	60,716	9.3	166,496	5.5
TOTAL	\$356,038	31.7	\$877,973	(10.6)

Notes:

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U.S. Exports To:

		VOLUME				VALUE-\$000			
		Mar.	% Change Month	YTD	% Change YTD	Mar.	% Change Month	YTD	% Change YTD
J	Softwood Logs - MBF	166,511	61.6	387,254	(26.4)	163,039	50.0	389,293	(19.4)
A	Softwood Lumber - MBF	92,849	21.5	242,982	(20.8)	60,224	24.0	156,112	(2.3)
P	Hardwood Logs - MBF	2,672	(7.9)	7,380	(28.5)	4,479	(23.7)	13,488	(29.9)
A	Hardwood Lumber - MBF	7,817	7.0	22,940	(17.1)	10,778	10.5	30,856	(14.0)
N	Hardwood Veneer (MSF 1/8)	14,884	25.2	41,048	21.7	1,114	(9.3)	3,465	(15.0)
	Particleboard (MSF 3/4)	383	(38.0)	1,101	10.7	67	(49.6)	251	(31.8)
	Other					48,925	12.4	130,308	2.3
	Subtotal					288,626	32.5	723,776	(12.8)
K	Softwood Logs - MBF	25,009	*	44,093	(9.9)	17,100	*	28,319	(10.4)
O	Softwood Lumber - MBF	709	(72.3)	4,175	(36.9)	507	(84.5)	4,819	*
R	Hardwood Logs - MBF	2,262	*	3,696	35.9	2,074	97.7	4,149	(0.4)
E	Hardwood Lumber - MBF	2,785	31.5	6,958	36.1	3,731	22.8	9,477	42.3
A	Hardwood Veneer (MSF 1/8)	13,609	1.7	36,974	*	1,601	5.8	4,204	62.0
	Particleboard (MSF 3/4)	1,761	(60.4)	8,823	(6.1)	362	(63.9)	1,825	(25.8)
	Other					6,594	(14.6)	22,102	*
	Subtotal					31,969	16.9	74,895	13.2
C	Softwood Logs - MBF	7,103	*	20,171	(37.5)	6,598	*	16,444	(25.3)
H	Softwood Lumber - MBF	77	*	166	(23.6)	47	*	74	(33.9)
I	Hardwood Logs - MBF	99	*	461	*	164	56.2	562	*
N	Hardwood Lumber - MBF	217	*	442	41.3	225	*	431	47.6
A	Hardwood Veneer (MSF 1/8)	0	*	1,348	*	0	*	145	*
	Particleboard (MSF 3/4)	20	(79.4)	138	*	11	(62.1)	50	*
	Other					132	73.7	253	(64.3)
	Subtotal					7,177	(19.1)	17,961	(23.3)
T	Softwood Logs - MBF	346	(4.6)	851	(82.1)	259	(62.2)	1,028	(63.2)
A	Softwood Lumber - MBF	4,361	*	7,043	60.3	1,550	*	3,010	46.4
I	Hardwood Logs - MBF	981	*	1,822	2.1	1,814	*	3,274	4.1
W	Hardwood Lumber - MBF	7,477	27.1	19,041	1.3	6,640	18.6	17,390	(4.6)
A	Hardwood Veneer (MSF 1/8)	12,107	*	20,923	(14.3)	1,249	*	2,058	(27.6)
N	Particleboard (MSF 3/4)	3,175	*	9,764	(14.0)	479	35.7	1,393	(23.3)
	Other					3,257	50.0	7,572	1.7
	Subtotal					15,248	43.8	35,727	(6.8)
A	Softwood Logs - MBF	15	*	15	*	26	*	26	*
S	Softwood Lumber - MBF	9,394	*	12,735	(32.3)	6,379	*	8,593	(24.2)
T	Hardwood Logs - MBF	0	*	5	*	0	*	12	*
R	Hardwood Lumber - MBF	301	*	562	(4.1)	486	*	867	6.0
A	Hardwood Veneer (MSF 1/8)	1,029	*	2,851	*	145	*	361	*
L	Particleboard (MSF 3/4)	0	*	0	*	0	*	0	*
I	Other					715	(4.2)	2,395	(4.8)
A	Subtotal					7,751	*	12,253	(17.9)

Japanese Market Data

Imports (Thousand Cubic Meters)	U.S. Import Market Share					
	Feb.	Jan.	% Change Month	YTD	% Change YTD	YTD (%)
Softwood Logs	1,133	1,047	8.1	2,180	(5.0)	50.7
Softwood Lumber	575	791	(27.3)	1,367	(2.2)	22.1
Hardwood Logs	662	730	(9.3)	1,392	(2.6)	1.4
Hardwood Lumber	116	145	(19.9)	261	(1.2)	15.0
Housing Starts-000	Wooden Structures					
	Mar.	Feb.	% Change Month	YTD	% Change YTD	YTD %
Housing Starts-000	112.4	106.1	5.9	218.5	12.9	42.6

Sources: Japan Wood Products Information & Research Center;



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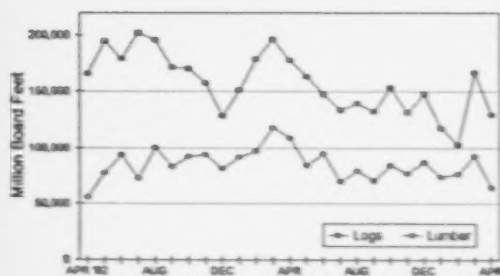
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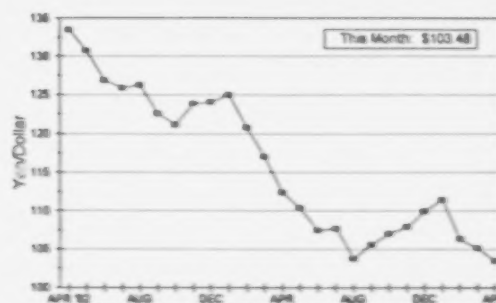
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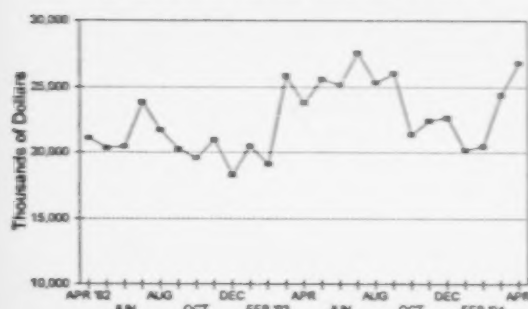
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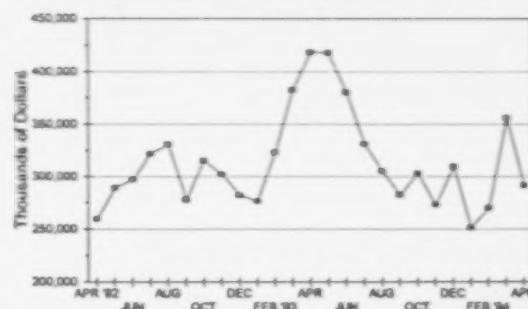
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Value of Hardwood Lumber Exports to the Pacific Rim



Value of All Wood Products Exports to the Pacific Rim



Total U.S. Exports to the Pacific Rim (\$000)

Country Markets	Apr.	% Change Month	YTD	% Change YTD
Japan	227,786	(21.1)	951,563	(16.7)
China	9,702	*	27,663	(38.2)
Korea	30,265	(5.3)	105,160	(9.5)
Taiwan	16,633	9.1	52,359	(5.2)
Australia	2,065	(73.4)	14,318	(47.9)
Hong Kong	3,786	(7.6)	13,970	49.7
Singapore	1,025	(12.3)	4,202	(17.2)
TOTAL	\$291,262	(18.2)	\$1,169,236	(16.5)

Product Groups	Apr.	% Change Month	YTD	% Change YTD
Softwood Logs	151,363	(19.1)	586,474	(25.2)
Softwood Lumber	48,755	(29.3)	221,946	(14.3)
Hardwood Logs	9,244	7.8	30,936	(18.9)
Hardwood Lumber	26,818	9.9	91,864	3.0
Hardwood Veneer	4,600	(9.6)	16,654	20.3
Particleboard	1,511	16.1	5,888	(17.7)
Other	48,970	(19.3)	215,466	3.0
TOTAL	\$291,262	(18.2)	\$1,169,236	(16.5)

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U.S. Exports To:

		VOLUME				VALUE-\$000			
		Apr.	% Change Month	YTD	% Change YTD	Apr.	% Change Month	YTD	% Change YTD
J	Softwood Logs - MBF	129,061	(22.5)	516,315	(26.6)	125,257	(23.2)	514,550	(22.9)
A	Softwood Lumber - MBF	64,400	(30.6)	307,382	(26.1)	43,978	(27.0)	200,091	(10.9)
P	Hardwood Logs - MBF	3,364	25.9	10,744	(18.5)	6,869	53.4	20,357	(19.7)
A	Hardwood Lumber - MBF	8,469	8.3	31,409	(16.6)	11,274	4.6	42,130	(13.8)
A	Hardwood Veneer (MSF 1/8)	17,317	16.3	58,365	25.6	1,433	28.6	4,898	(8.7)
N	Particleboard (MSF 3/4)	547	42.9	1,649	(8.6)	195	*	446	(26.5)
	Other					38,780	(20.7)	169,088	(0.5)
	Subtotal					227,786	(21.1)	951,563	(16.7)
K	Softwood Logs - MBF	21,010	(16.0)	65,103	(33.4)	13,856	(19.0)	42,175	(37.2)
O	Softwood Lumber - MBF	2,405	*	6,580	(41.9)	2,978	*	7,797	13.4
R	Hardwood Logs - MBF	602	(73.4)	4,297	(18.9)	1,032	(50.2)	5,181	(27.1)
E	Hardwood Lumber - MBF	3,809	36.8	10,767	54.8	5,327	42.8	14,804	61.9
A	Hardwood Veneer (MSF 1/8)	13,617	0.1	50,591	*	1,659	3.6	5,863	78.9
A	Particleboard (MSF 3/4)	2,136	21.3	10,959	(9.2)	677	87.0	2,502	(26.1)
	Other					4,736	(28.2)	26,838	39.4
	Subtotal					30,265	(5.3)	105,160	(9.5)
C	Softwood Logs - MBF	12,670	78.4	32,842	(38.8)	9,076	37.6	25,520	(40.6)
H	Softwood Lumber - MBF	262	*	428	78.8	143	*	217	83.9
I	Hardwood Logs - MBF	15	(84.4)	476	90.2	26	(84.1)	588	*
N	Hardwood Lumber - MBF	161	(26.0)	603	70.9	144	(36.0)	575	79.1
A	Hardwood Veneer (MSF 1/8)	0	*	1,348	*	0	*	145	*
A	Particleboard (MSF 3/4)	40	97.2	178	*	22	*	72	*
	Other					291	*	544	(32.4)
	Subtotal					9,702	35.2	27,663	(38.2)
T	Softwood Logs - MBF	4,138	*	4,989	(39.1)	3,170	*	4,198	(32.1)
A	Softwood Lumber - MBF	1,454	(66.7)	8,497	26.6	667	(57.0)	3,677	5.6
I	Hardwood Logs - MBF	719	(26.7)	2,541	(7.0)	1,095	(39.6)	4,369	(10.1)
W	Hardwood Lumber - MBF	8,259	10.5	27,300	5.9	7,329	10.4	24,720	0.5
A	Hardwood Veneer (MSF 1/8)	4,642	(61.7)	25,565	(20.7)	791	(36.7)	2,848	(24.3)
N	Particleboard (MSF 3/4)	3,264	2.8	13,028	(16.5)	513	7.1	1,906	(26.8)
	Other					3,068	(5.8)	10,640	9.4
	Subtotal					16,633	9.1	52,359	(5.2)
A	Softwood Logs - MBF	0	*	15	(32.7)	0	*	26	(18.8)
S	Softwood Lumber - MBF	1,174	(87.5)	13,909	(59.7)	812	(37.3)	9,405	(59.1)
T	Hardwood Logs - MBF	0	*	5	(87.6)	0	*	12	(79.3)
R	Hardwood Lumber - MBF	221	(26.6)	783	15.7	345	(29.0)	1,212	24.7
A	Hardwood Veneer (MSF 1/8)	622	(39.6)	3,473	70.0	75	(48.3)	435	68.0
L	Particleboard (MSF 3/4)	18	*	18	(77.0)	7	*	7	(82.1)
I	Other					826	15.5	3,221	4.3
A	Subtotal					2,065	(73.4)	14,318	(47.9)

Japanese Market Data

Imports (Thousand Cubic Meters)	U.S. Import Market Share			
	Mar.	Feb.	% Change Month	YTD
Softwood Logs	1,166	1,133	3.0	3,346
Softwood Lumber	749	575	30.2	2,116
Hardwood Logs	612	662	(7.5)	2,004
Hardwood Lumber	101	116	(13.0)	361
	Apr.	Mar.	% Change Month	YTD
Housing Starts-000	118.9	112.4	5.8	337.3

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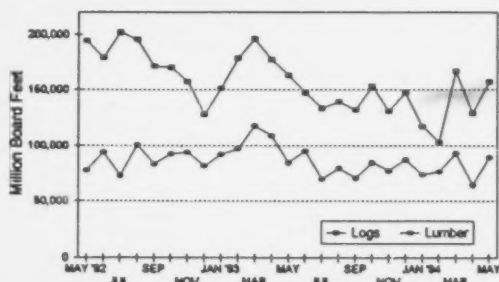
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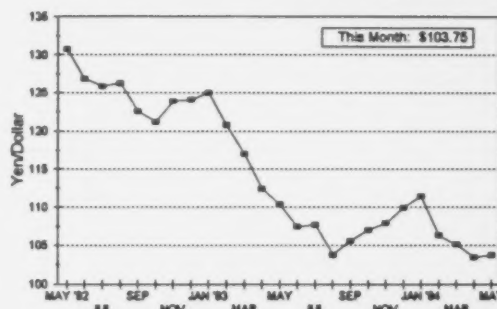
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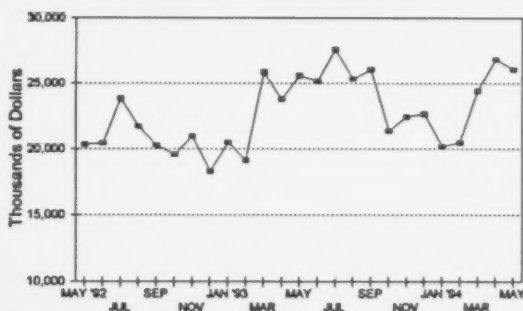
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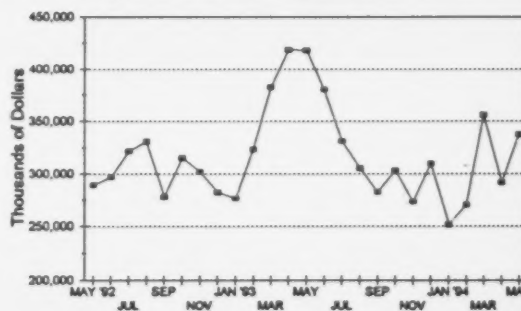
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**Value of Hardwood Lumber
Exports to the Pacific Rim**



**Value of All Wood Products
Exports to the Pacific Rim**



Total U.S. Exports to the Pacific Rim (\$000)

Country Markets	May	% Change Month	YTD	% Change YTD
Japan	283,376	24.4	1,234,939	(14.8)
China	3,629	(62.6)	31,293	(54.6)
Korea	20,386	(32.6)	125,547	(22.7)
Taiwan	14,043	(15.6)	66,402	(14.7)
Australia	9,875	*	24,193	(40.2)
Hong Kong	4,723	24.7	18,693	50.2
Singapore	1,253	22.2	5,455	(25.0)
TOTAL	\$337,286	15.8	\$1,506,522	(17.1)

Product Groups	May	% Change Month	YTD	% Change YTD
Softwood Logs	164,235	8.5	750,709	(27.1)
Softwood Lumber	67,346	38.1	289,292	(11.0)
Hardwood Logs	10,326	11.7	41,262	(19.4)
Hardwood Lumber	26,039	(2.9)	117,903	2.7
Hardwood Veneer	4,665	1.4	21,319	21.0
Particleboard	1,246	(17.5)	7,134	(23.2)
Other	63,429	29.5	278,895	3.2
TOTAL	\$337,286	15.8	\$1,506,522	(17.1)

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U.S. Exports To:									
VOLUME						VALUE-\$000			
		May	% Change Month	YTD	% Change YTD	May	% Change Month	YTD	% Change YTD
J A P A N	Softwood Logs - MBF	157,527	22.1	673,842	(22.2)	153,194	22.3	667,745	(21.6)
	Softwood Lumber - MBF	89,078	38.3	396,460	(20.7)	56,531	28.5	256,622	(7.3)
	Hardwood Logs - MBF	3,558	5.8	14,302	(23.0)	6,972	1.5	27,329	(20.9)
	Hardwood Lumber - MBF	7,942	(6.2)	39,350	(18.2)	11,048	(2.0)	53,178	(14.6)
	Hardwood Veneer (MSF 1/8)	12,906	(25.5)	71,271	35.6	1,243	(13.3)	6,142	(1.9)
	Particleboard (MSF 3/4)	1,210	"	2,859	12.2	278	42.6	724	(18.7)
	Other Subtotal					54,110	39.5	223,198	3.1
						283,376	24.4	1,234,939	(14.8)
K O R E A	Softwood Logs - MBF	13,333	(36.5)	78,436	(41.3)	7,287	(47.4)	49,462	(49.9)
	Softwood Lumber - MBF	1,395	(42.0)	7,975	(35.2)	1,255	(57.9)	9,052	21.0
	Hardwood Logs - MBF	579	(3.8)	4,876	(21.9)	1,201	16.4	6,382	(29.1)
	Hardwood Lumber - MBF	3,438	(9.8)	14,205	59.1	4,551	(14.6)	19,355	69.0
	Hardwood Veneer (MSF 1/8)	14,879	9.3	65,470	"	1,799	8.4	7,663	82.9
	Particleboard (MSF 3/4)	1,506	(29.5)	12,466	(17.4)	402	(40.6)	2,904	(33.1)
	Other Subtotal					3,891	(17.8)	30,729	12.4
						20,386	(32.6)	125,547	(22.7)
C H I N A	Softwood Logs - MBF	3,576	(71.8)	36,418	(55.2)	2,626	(71.1)	28,146	(57.5)
	Softwood Lumber - MBF	0	"	428	65.6	0	"	217	66.9
	Hardwood Logs - MBF	106	"	582	(34.5)	128	"	716	(19.0)
	Hardwood Lumber - MBF	107	(33.2)	710	18.8	108	(25.0)	683	11.2
	Hardwood Veneer (MSF 1/8)	0	"	1,348	"	0	"	145	"
	Particleboard (MSF 3/4)	232	"	410	"	47	"	119	"
	Other Subtotal					720	"	1,264	37.4
						3,629	(62.6)	31,293	(54.6)
T A I W A N	Softwood Logs - MBF	2,518	(39.1)	7,508	(55.1)	1,128	(64.4)	5,326	(60.7)
	Softwood Lumber - MBF	2,190	50.7	10,687	22.6	1,080	61.9	4,757	(7.9)
	Hardwood Logs - MBF	1,013	41.0	3,554	1.4	1,524	39.2	5,894	(6.2)
	Hardwood Lumber - MBF	6,919	(16.2)	34,219	1.0	6,717	(8.4)	31,436	(1.4)
	Hardwood Veneer (MSF 1/8)	5,163	11.2	30,728	(29.7)	611	(22.8)	3,459	(31.6)
	Particleboard (MSF 3/4)	1,610	(50.7)	14,639	(25.4)	301	(41.3)	2,207	(34.9)
	Other Subtotal					2,682	(12.6)	13,322	6.3
						14,043	(15.6)	66,402	(14.7)
A U S T R A L I A	Softwood Logs - MBF	0	"	15	(32.7)	0	"	26	(18.8)
	Softwood Lumber - MBF	11,822	"	25,731	(47.2)	8,296	"	17,701	(48.7)
	Hardwood Logs - MBF	125	"	131	(9.2)	130	"	142	42.0
	Hardwood Lumber - MBF	258	16.9	1,041	7.1	524	51.9	1,736	24.6
	Hardwood Veneer (MSF 1/8)	2,024	"	5,497	"	318	"	753	"
	Particleboard (MSF 3/4)	0	"	18	(77.0)	0	"	7	(82.1)
	Other Subtotal					607	(26.5)	3,828	(7.1)
						9,875	"	24,193	(40.2)

Japanese Market Data						
Imports (Thousand Cubic Meters)	Apr.	Mar.	% Change Month	YTD	% Change YTD	U.S. Import Market Share YTD (%)
Softwood Logs	1,219	1,166	4.5	4,565	(12.3)	48.4
Softwood Lumber	647	749	(13.6)	2,763	(10.4)	23.2
Hardwood Logs	643	612	5.1	2,647	(11.7)	1.5
Hardwood Lumber	151	101	50.0	513	(3.4)	15.0

	May	Apr.	% Change Month	YTD	% Change YTD	Wooden Structures YTD %
Housing Starts-000	130.1	135.8	(4.2)	603.2	9.8	45.9

Sources: Japan Wood Products Information & Research Center;



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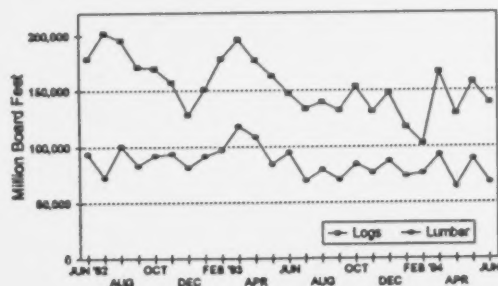
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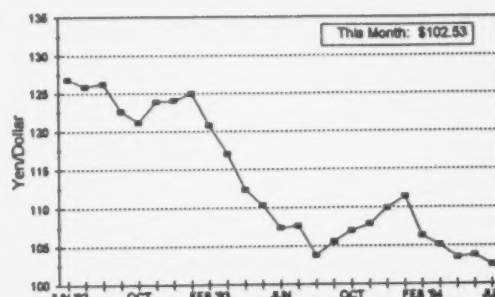
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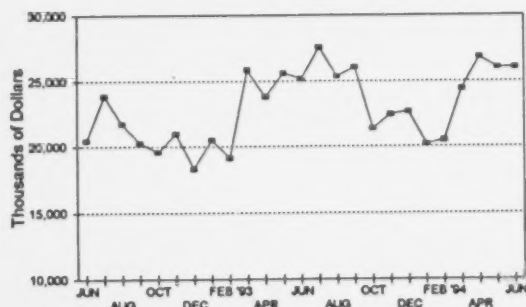
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Softwood Logs & Lumber**



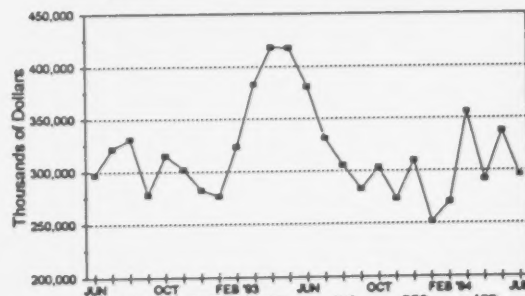
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**Value of Hardwood Lumber
Exports to the Pacific Rim**



**Value of All Wood Products
Exports to the Pacific Rim**



Total U.S. Exports to the Pacific Rim (\$000)

Country Markets	% Change				Product Groups	% Change			
	June	Month	YTD	YTD		June	Month	YTD	YTD
Japan	231,284	(18.4)	1,466,222	(15.8)	Softwood Logs	154,474	(5.9)	905,183	(26.8)
China	14,695	*	45,987	(38.3)	Softwood Lumber	52,253	(22.4)	341,544	(15.2)
Korea	26,223	28.6	151,770	(27.6)	Hardwood Logs	5,815	(43.7)	47,077	(18.0)
Taiwan	14,704	4.7	81,106	(13.3)	Hardwood Lumber	26,032	(0.0)	143,935	2.9
Australia	3,443	(65.1)	27,635	(51.1)	Hardwood Veneer	4,072	(12.7)	25,391	20.3
Hong Kong	3,916	(17.1)	22,609	41.5	Particleboard	1,063	(14.7)	8,198	(31.9)
Singapore	1,291	3.0	6,747	(16.9)	Other	51,846	(18.3)	330,741	0.2
TOTAL	\$295,556	(12.4)	\$1,802,078	(18.0)	TOTAL	\$295,556	(12.4)	\$1,802,078	(18.0)

Notes:

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U.S. Exports To:

		VOLUME				VALUE-\$000			
		June	% Change Month	YTD	% Change YTD	June	% Change Month	YTD	% Change YTD
J A P A N	Softwood Logs - MBF	139,087	(11.7)	812,929	(19.8)	128,510	(16.1)	796,255	(22.0)
	Softwood Lumber - MBF	68,385	(23.2)	464,846	(21.9)	48,429	(14.3)	305,051	(8.9)
	Hardwood Logs - MBF	2,280	(35.9)	16,582	(16.4)	3,512	(49.6)	30,841	(16.3)
	Hardwood Lumber - MBF	7,899	(0.5)	47,249	(19.3)	10,470	(5.2)	63,648	(15.0)
	Hardwood Veneer (MSF 1/8)	8,212	(36.4)	79,483	22.2	874	(29.7)	7,015	(9.1)
	Particleboard (MSF 3/4)	387	(68.0)	3,246	(1.0)	134	(51.8)	858	(35.6)
Other						39,355	(27.3)	262,553	(0.4)
Subtotal						231,284	(18.4)	1,466,222	(15.8)
K O R E A	Softwood Logs - MBF	16,575	24.3	95,011	(44.8)	11,299	55.1	60,760	(52.6)
	Softwood Lumber - MBF	709	(49.2)	8,684	(52.7)	695	(44.6)	9,747	(10.5)
	Hardwood Logs - MBF	828	43.1	5,705	(32.4)	943	(21.5)	7,325	(31.7)
	Hardwood Lumber - MBF	4,028	17.2	18,233	61.2	5,440	19.5	24,795	74.3
	Hardwood Veneer (MSF 1/8)	12,807	(13.9)	78,277	*	1,510	(16.1)	9,172	89.6
	Particleboard (MSF 3/4)	373	(75.2)	12,838	(32.7)	51	(87.3)	2,955	(49.2)
Other						6,285	61.5	37,014	6.6
Subtotal						26,223	28.6	151,770	(27.6)
C H I N A	Softwood Logs - MBF	17,876	*	54,294	(38.6)	13,818	*	41,964	(41.0)
	Softwood Lumber - MBF	0	*	429	(23.8)	0	*	217	(11.4)
	Hardwood Logs - MBF	16	(84.5)	598	(38.1)	30	(76.6)	746	(27.9)
	Hardwood Lumber - MBF	165	53.8	875	17.4	179	65.7	862	11.4
	Hardwood Veneer (MSF 1/8)	92	*	1,440	7.9	26	*	171	35.7
	Particleboard (MSF 3/4)	62	(73.2)	472	*	10	(78.7)	129	*
Other						632	(12.2)	1,896	51.4
Subtotal						14,695	*	45,987	(38.3)
T A I W A N	Softwood Logs - MBF	1,193	(52.6)	8,701	(52.9)	804	(28.7)	6,130	(58.7)
	Softwood Lumber - MBF	909	(58.5)	11,597	7.2	662	(38.7)	5,419	(14.4)
	Hardwood Logs - MBF	767	(24.3)	4,321	(21.8)	1,218	(20.1)	7,112	(13.7)
	Hardwood Lumber - MBF	7,870	13.7	42,089	1.3	7,174	6.8	38,610	(1.0)
	Hardwood Veneer (MSF 1/8)	7,933	53.7	38,661	(23.4)	951	55.6	4,410	(24.5)
	Particleboard (MSF 3/4)	2,007	24.6	16,645	(25.3)	622	*	2,829	(30.6)
Other						3,273	22.0	16,595	9.1
Subtotal						14,704	4.7	81,106	(13.3)
A U S T R A L I A	Softwood Logs - MBF	63	*	78	*	32	*	58	81.3
	Softwood Lumber - MBF	3,468	(70.7)	29,199	(58.4)	2,198	(73.5)	19,899	(59.5)
	Hardwood Logs - MBF	0	*	131	(36.2)	0	*	142	(8.4)
	Hardwood Lumber - MBF	270	4.6	1,311	17.8	379	(27.7)	2,115	30.3
	Hardwood Veneer (MSF 1/8)	187	(90.8)	5,684	80.0	40	(87.4)	793	62.5
	Particleboard (MSF 3/4)	162	*	179	*	90	*	97	*
Other						704	16.0	4,532	(9.4)
Subtotal						3,443	(65.1)	27,635	(51.1)

Japanese Market Data

Imports (Thousand Cubic Meters)	May	Apr.	% Change Month	YTD	% Change YTD	U.S. Import Market Share YTD (%)
Softwood Logs	1,223	1,219	0.3	5,788	(10.9)	48.9
Softwood Lumber	923	647	42.6	3,685	(4.1)	21.0
Hardwood Logs	668	643	3.9	3,315	(12.9)	1.6
Hardwood Lumber	134	151	(11.2)	647	(4.4)	15.1

	June	May	% Change Month	YTD	% Change YTD	Wooden Structures YTD %
Housing Starts-000	147.9	130.1	13.7	751.1	9.9	46.4

Sources: Japan Wood Products Information & Research Center;



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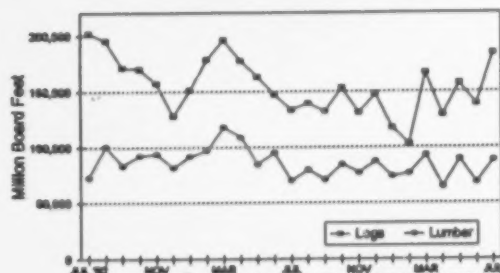
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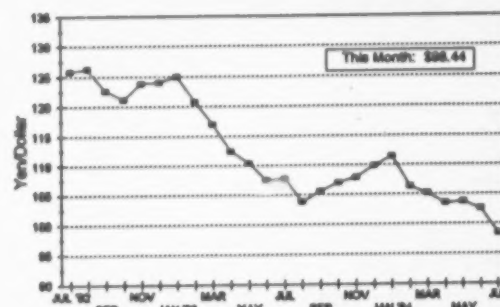
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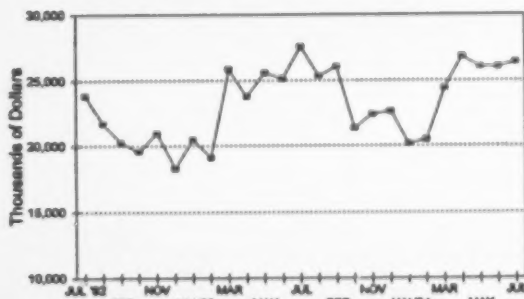
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Softwood Logs & Lumber**



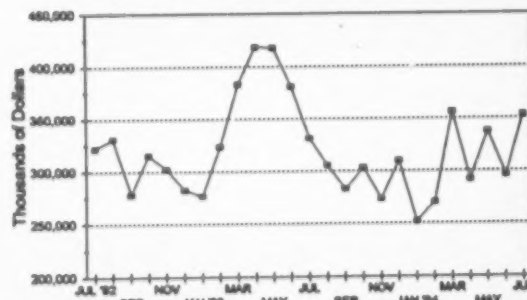
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**Value of Hardwood Lumber
Exports to the Pacific Rim**



**Value of All Wood Products
Exports to the Pacific Rim**



Total U.S. Exports to the Pacific Rim (\$000)

Country Markets	July	% Change Month	YTD	% Change YTD
Japan	295,385	27.7	1,761,607	(11.5)
China	631	(95.7)	46,619	(40.7)
Korea	28,547	8.9	180,317	(28.4)
Taiwan	16,033	9.0	97,140	(11.5)
Australia	7,060	*	34,696	(51.5)
Hong Kong	4,550	16.2	27,159	41.3
Singapore	956	(25.9)	7,702	(14.8)
TOTAL	\$353,163	19.5	\$2,155,240	(14.8)

Product Groups	July	% Change Month	YTD	% Change YTD
Softwood Logs	193,377	25.2	1,098,560	(22.1)
Softwood Lumber	63,961	22.4	405,506	(12.4)
Hardwood Logs	4,187	(28.0)	51,264	(15.8)
Hardwood Lumber	26,391	1.4	170,326	1.7
Hardwood Veneer	4,235	4.0	29,625	19.4
Particleboard	774	(27.2)	8,972	(34.1)
Other	60,234	16.2	390,975	0.0
TOTAL	\$353,163	19.5	\$2,155,240	(14.8)

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U.S. Exports To:		VOLUME				VALUE-\$000			
		July	% Change Month	YTD	% Change YTD	July	% Change Month	YTD	% Change YTD
J	Softwood Logs - MBF	184,204	32.4	997,132	(13.1)	176,110	37.0	972,364	(16.3)
A	Softwood Lumber - MBF	88,414	29.3	553,260	(16.8)	55,449	14.5	360,500	(4.9)
P	Hardwood Logs - MBF	1,087	(52.3)	17,669	(15.0)	2,045	(41.8)	32,886	(13.7)
A	Hardwood Lumber - MBF	7,629	(3.4)	54,878	(21.8)	10,716	2.3	74,365	(17.0)
N	Hardwood Veneer (MSF 1/8)	12,227	48.9	91,710	21.7	1,196	36.8	8,211	(5.2)
	Particleboard (MSF 3/4)	405	4.5	3,650	(1.9)	168	25.4	1,027	(30.3)
	Other					49,701	26.3	312,254	0.5
	Subtotal					295,385	27.7	1,761,607	(11.5)
K	Softwood Logs - MBF	22,537	36.0	117,548	(42.7)	14,865	31.6	75,625	(51.2)
O	Softwood Lumber - MBF	1,299	83.3	9,983	(48.7)	1,387	99.6	11,134	(3.1)
R	Hardwood Logs - MBF	458	(44.7)	6,163	(34.1)	884	(6.3)	8,209	(31.2)
E	Hardwood Lumber - MBF	3,787	(6.0)	22,020	65.5	5,361	(1.5)	30,156	78.4
A	Hardwood Veneer (MSF 1/8)	11,782	(8.0)	90,059	*	1,498	(0.8)	10,670	69.7
	Particleboard (MSF 3/4)	215	(42.3)	13,054	(40.1)	78	52.9	3,033	(54.3)
	Other					4,474	(28.8)	41,488	(4.4)
	Subtotal					28,547	8.9	180,317	(28.4)
C	Softwood Logs - MBF	0	*	54,294	(41.5)	0	*	41,964	(43.4)
H	Softwood Lumber - MBF	0	*	428	(23.8)	0	*	217	(11.4)
I	Hardwood Logs - MBF	16	0.0	614	(42.4)	30	0.0	776	(35.7)
N	Hardwood Lumber - MBF	281	70.2	1,155	9.6	237	32.4	1,099	(4.4)
A	Hardwood Veneer (MSF 1/8)	0	*	1,440	3.1	0	*	171	28.6
	Particleboard (MSF 3/4)	0	*	472	*	0	*	129	*
	Other					364	(42.4)	2,260	31.0
	Subtotal					631	(95.7)	46,619	(40.7)
T	Softwood Logs - MBF	3,329	*	12,030	(45.7)	2,336	*	8,466	(53.2)
A	Softwood Lumber - MBF	2,136	*	13,733	12.7	954	44.1	6,374	(11.4)
I	Hardwood Logs - MBF	586	(23.7)	4,907	(17.3)	965	(20.8)	8,076	(10.4)
W	Hardwood Lumber - MBF	7,400	(6.0)	49,489	(0.8)	6,986	(2.6)	45,596	(1.7)
A	Hardwood Veneer (MSF 1/8)	7,261	(8.5)	45,922	(22.7)	914	(3.9)	5,324	(22.3)
N	Particleboard (MSF 3/4)	1,368	(31.8)	18,014	(25.9)	424	(31.8)	3,253	(28.4)
	Other					3,454	5.5	20,049	13.1
	Subtotal					16,033	9.0	97,140	(11.5)
A	Softwood Logs - MBF	91	44.1	169	*	43	34.4	102	*
S	Softwood Lumber - MBF	9,229	*	38,428	(56.4)	5,967	*	25,866	(59.1)
T	Hardwood Logs - MBF	0	*	131	(36.2)	0	*	142	(8.4)
R	Hardwood Lumber - MBF	90	(66.6)	1,401	6.9	165	(56.5)	2,280	16.6
A	Hardwood Veneer (MSF 1/8)	1,068	*	6,752	*	99	*	892	82.8
L	Particleboard (MSF 3/4)	0	*	179	*	0	*	97	*
I	Other					786	11.6	5,318	(6.6)
A	Subtotal					7,060	*	31,696	(51.5)

Japanese Market Data

Imports (Thousand Cubic Meters)	June	May	% Change Month	YTD	% Change YTD	U.S. Import Market Share YTD (%)
Softwood Logs	1,293	1,223	5.8	7,081	(10.1)	48.7
Softwood Lumber	795	923	(13.9)	4,480	(3.3)	21.1
Hardwood Logs	804	668	20.3	4,119	(9.9)	1.6
Hardwood Lumber	143	134	6.6	790	(3.0)	15.0

	July	June	% Change Month	YTD	% Change YTD	Wooden Structures YTD %
Housing Starts-000	145.4	147.9	(1.7)	896.5	9.3	46.7

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